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 - Sugar Control.
 - Tariff Board.
 - Trade Treaties and Trade Agreements.
- The Department of the Interior—
 - Astronomy.
 - Conveyance of Members of Parliament and others.
 - Co-ordination of Australian Transport Services.
 - Elections and Franchise.
 - Emigration of children and aboriginals.
 - Forestry.
 - Geodesy (International Map of the World and 129th Meridian).
 - Immigration.
 - Indentured coloured labour.

Commonwealth Departmental Activities—*continued.*

Lands and Surveys.
 Literary Fund, Commonwealth.
 Meteorology.
 Naturalization.
 Northern Territory.
 Oil Investigation and Prospecting (Encouragement of).
 Passports.
 Pearl Shelling and Trepang Fisheries in Australian waters beyond Territorial limits.
 Properties (a) transferred, (b) acquired, (c) rented.
 Prospecting for precious metals (Assistance for).
 Public Works and Services.
 Railways.
 Rivers, Roads and Bridges.
 Seat of Government.
 Solar Observatory.
 War Memorial, Commonwealth.

The Department of Commerce—

Commerce Act—

Inspection, grading, packing and marketing of Australian exports.

Marine and Shipping—

Lighthouses, light ships, beacons and buoys.
 Navigation and Shipping.
 Oversea Shipping Freights.

Primary Industries—

Australian Agricultural Council.
 Financial assistance to primary producers—
 Monetary grants for specified commodities.
 Fertilizer subsidies.
 Advances for purchase of wire and wire netting.
 Organization of, and voluntary organizations.

Publicity and Advertising—

Australian National Travel Association.
 Production of cinematograph films.

Commonwealth Departmental Activities—*continued.*

Representation on Empire and International Exhibitions.

Trade publicity and advertising in the United Kingdom and other oversea countries.

Statutory Export Control Boards.

Trade Agreements—

Administration of the export aspects of agreements.

Collaboration with other Departments in negotiations.

Trade Commissioner Services in Empire and Foreign Countries.

The Department of Health—

Cancer campaign.

District Health Laboratories at Bendigo, Lismore, Toowoomba, Townsville, Rockhampton, Cairns, Darwin, Kalgoorlie, Port Pirie and Launceston.

Federal Health Council.

Institute of Anatomy.

International health relationships.

Maternal Welfare.

Nuffield Trust for Crippled Children.

Quarantine.

Quarantine, Animal.

Quarantine, Plant.

School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine.

Serum Laboratories, Commonwealth.

The Department of Repatriation—

General Repatriation, including employment, grants in aid, vocations, training and children's education.

Medical Services, including reciprocal medical treatment for soldiers of the Imperial and Dominion Governments, hospitals and hostels.

War Pensions.

War Pensions Assessment Appeal Tribunals.

War Pensions Entitlement Appeal Tribunal.

War Service Homes Commission—

Homes for Australian soldiers and female dependants of Australian soldiers.

PRINCIPAL COMMONWEALTH OFFICIALS :

(Address and Telephone Number of Principal Offices given in brackets.)

Air Board (see Defence Department).

Analyst (Flinders-lane, rear of Customs House, Melbourne, Central 1071): C. R. PECK, A.A.C.I.

Anatomy, Australian Institute of (Canberra, 561): Director, Sir W. Colin MacKenzie, K.B., M.D., F.R.C.S., F.R.S.E.

Arbitration, C'wealth Court of Conciliation and (468 Lonsdale-st., Melbourne, Central 5176, 6005); See page 15.

Arbitrator, Public Service (42 Jolimont-rd., Jolimont, Victoria, J.3882): J. C. Westhoven.

Attorney-General's Department (West Block, Canberra, 531): G. S. Knowles, C.B.E., M.A., LL.M., Solicitor-General, Secretary and Parliamentary Draftsman; M. C. Boniwell, C.B.E., LL.B., Assistant Secretary and Assistant Parliamentary Draftsman; J. G. B. Castieau, LL.B., Second Assistant Secretary and Second Assistant Parliamentary Draftsman.

Auditor-General (West Block, Canberra, 531): H. C. Brown, C.B.E.

Australian Loan Council (Dept. of the Treasury, West Block, Canberra, 531): Chairman, The Treasurer of the Commonwealth; Secretary, A. C. Joyce.

Bankruptcy, Inspector-General in (High Court Buildings, Law Courts, Melbourne, F.5453): W. F. Merrell.

Book Censorship Board (Dept. of Trade and Customs) (East Block, Canberra, 551): Sir Robert R. Garran, K.C.M.G., K.C.; Dr. L. H. Allen, M.A., Ph.D.: Prof. J. M. Haydon, M.A.

Principal Commonwealth Officials—*continued.*

Broadcasting Commission, Australian (Aeolian Hall, Pitt-street, Sydney, M 6991): W. J. Cleary, Chairman (retires 3.7.37); H. Brookes, Vice-Chairman (retires 25.5.37); Hon. R. B. Orchard, C.B.E. (retires 25.5.38); Mrs. M. R. Couchman (retires 25.5.38); J. W. Kitto, O.B.E., (retires 25.5.38).

Canned Fruits Control Board (419 Collins-st., Melbourne, Central 8517): Chairman, Col. Sir Charles E. Merrett, Kt., C.B.E., V.D.; Secretary, W. J. Adams.

Commerce, Department of (Central Office Administration, East Block, Canberra, 587): Secretary, J. F. Murphy; Assistant Secretaries, H. Thomson, E. McCarthy; (Sydney Office, Commonwealth Bank Building, Phone B.W.2091; Melbourne Office, 419 Collins-street, Central 2773; Brisbane Office, Q.T.C. Building, Queen-street, Phone B.9517).

Commonwealth Bank of Australia (Head Office, cr. Martin-place and Pitt-st., Sydney, B.0355. Melbourne Office, 367 Collins-st., Central 4952. Note Printing Branch, Victoria-pde., Fitzroy, Victoria, J.1196): Governor, Sir Ernest Riddle. Board of Directors, Sir Claude Reading, K.C.M.G. (a). Chairman; A. F. Bell, C.M.G. (b); R. S. Drummond (c); M. B. Duffy (d); Peter Tait (e); Prof. L. F. Giblin, D.S.O., M.C., M.A. (f); H. J. Sheehan, C.B.E. (Secretary to the Treasury) (g); Sir Ernest Riddle (Governor) (g).

Term expires.—(a) 13.1.39, (b) 10.10.37, (c) 10.10.41, (d) 12.9.37, (e) 6.2.41, (f) 23.10.42, (g) *Ex-officio* members.

Commonwealth Employees' Compensation (Dept. of the Treasury, West Block, Canberra 531): Commissioner, the Secretary to the Treasury; Delegate of the Commissioner, J. Brophy.

Principal Commonwealth Officials—continued.

Commonwealth Grants Commission (581 Bourke-st., Melbourne, F.6710): Chairman: Hon. F. W. Eggleston; Associate Professor G. L. Wood, M.A., Litt.D.; G. L. Creasey.

Crown Solicitor (West Block, Canberra, 531): W. H. Sharwood, I.S.O.

Customs, Department of Trade and (East Block, Canberra, 551): Comptroller-General, E. Abbott, C.B.E.; Assistant Comptroller-General (Administrative), H. F. Morris; Assistant Comptroller-General (Tariff), A. C. Moore; *Collectors*: N.S.W., G. F. A. Mitchell; Vic., J. J. Kennedy; Q'land., R. B. Curd; S.A., F. Terry; W.A., H. St. G. Bird; Tas., E. A. J. Benjafield.

Dairy Produce Control Board (523 Collins-st., Melbourne, Central 1576): Chairman, T. F. Plunkett; Secretary, A. T. Owens.

Defence Department (Victoria Barracks, St. Kilda-rd., Melbourne, Central 7185): *Secretary*, M. L. Shepherd, C.M.G., I.S.O.; *Assistant Secretary*, M. M. Maguire, O.B.E., I.S.O. *Naval Board*: President, Minister for Defence; 1st Naval Member, Vice Admiral Sir G. F. Hyde, K.C.B., C.V.O., C.B.E.; 2nd Naval Member, Captain P. E. Phillips, D.S.O., R.N.; Finance and Civil Member, R. Abercrombie; Secretary, G. L. Macandie, C.B.E. *Rear-Admiral Commanding Australian Squadron*, Rear-Admiral R. H. O. Lane-Poole, C.B., O.B.E., *Military Board*: Chief of General Staff and 1st Military Member, Major-General J. D. Lavarack, C.M.G., D.S.O.; Adjutant-General, Major-General Sir Carl Jess, C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O.; Quartermaster-General, Brig.-General O. F. Phillips, C.M.G., D.S.O.; Finance Member, Lieut.-Col. T. W. Jolliffe, C.M.G.; Secretary, C. B. Laffan. *Inspector-General of the Military Forces* (Vacant). *Air*

Principal Commonwealth Officials—continued.

Board: Chief of the Air Staff, Air Vice-Marshal R. Williams, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O.; Air Member for Personnel, Air Commodore H. R. Nicholl, C.B.E., R.A.F.; Air Member for Supply, Group Captain W. H. Anderson, C.B.E., D.F.C.; Finance Member, M. C. Langslow, M.B.E., Secretary, P. E. Coleman, O.B.E. *Civil Aviation Board*: Controller-General, Captain E. C. Johnston, D.F.C.; Controller of Operations, Wing Commander A. H. Cobby, D.S.O., D.F.C.; Controller of Ground Organization, A. R. McComb; Finance Member, M. C. Langslow, M.B.E., Secretary, S. H. Crawford. *Defence Committee*: Chief of Naval Staff, Vice-Admiral Sir G. F. Hyde, K.C.B., C.V.O., C.B.E.; Chief of the General Staff, Major-General J. D. Lavarack, C.M.G., D.S.O.; Chief of Air Staff, Air Vice-Marshal R. Williams, C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O.; Finance Secretary, F. G. Shedden, O.B.E.

Dried Fruits Control Board (100 Queen-street, Melbourne, Central 1312): Chairman, W. C. F. Thomas, C.B.E.; Secretary, R. A. Marx.

Electoral Office (Commonwealth), *Chief Electoral Officer* (City, Canberra, 981): V. F. Turner.

Executive Council, Federal (West Block, Canberra): Secretary, G. A. Whitlam, O.B.E.

Expropriated Property, Custodian of, Public Trustee, and Controller of Clearing Office (Enemy Debts) (Department of the Treasury, West Block, Canberra, 531): W. C. Thomas, B.Com., L.I.C.A.

External Affairs, Department of (West Block, Canberra, 531): Secretary, Lieut.-Col. W. R. Hodgson, O.B.E., LL.B.; *International Co-operation Section*, H. A. Peterson, B.A.; *Political Section*, A. T. Stirling, B.A., LL.B.

Principal Commonwealth Officials—continued.

Film Censorship (Watson House, Bligh-street, Sydney, B.1517): Chief Censor, W. C. O'Reilly, B.A.; Appeal Censor, Brig.-Gen. I. G. Mackay, C.M.G., D.S.O., V.D., B.A.

Forests, Inspector-General of (C'wealth Forestry Bureau, Westridge, Canberra, 766): C. E. Lane-Poole, Dip.For. Nancy.

Geological Adviser (City, Canberra 982) W. G. Woolnough. D.Sc., F.G.S.

Health, Department of (City, Canberra, 596): Director-General of Health, Dr. J. H. L. Cumpston, C.M.G., M.D., D.P.H.; *Commonwealth Serum Laboratories* (Royal Park, Melbourne, N.2.): Director, F. G. Morgan. M.B., B.S.; *School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine* (University of Sydney, Sydney): Director, Professor Harvey Sutton, O.B.E., M.D., B.Sc., D.P.H.

High Court of Australia (High Court Offices), High Court Buildings, Law Courts, Melbourne, Central 5174. (See page 15.)

Historic Memorials Committee (Canberra): Chairman, The Prime Minister of the Commonwealth.

Industrial Registrar (468 Lonsdale-street, Melbourne, Central 5176, 6005). (See page 15.)

Interior, Dept. of the (Acton, Canberra, 511): Secretary, J. A. Carrodus; Surveyor-General and Chief Property Officer, A. Percival, L.S., C.E., M.V.I.E.; Assistant Secretary, Works and Services, P. A. Gourgaud; Assistant Secretary, Civic Branch, C. S. Daley, O.B.E., B.A.; *Works Directors*: N.S.W., C. A. Hoy; Vic., H. J. Mackennal, F.R.V.I.A.; Q'land., J. Orwin; S.A., H. M. Rolland, O.B.E., F.R.V.I.A.; W.A., G. S. Cook, M.I.A.

Investigation Branch (East Block, Canberra, B.098): Director, H. E. Jones, O.B.E.

Principal Commonwealth Officials—continued.

Land Tax Valuation Board (Commonwealth Offices, Treasury Gardens, Melbourne): W. J. Lambert (Chairman).

Literary Fund, Commonwealth (Dept. of the Interior, Canberra): Committee, S. Talbot Smith, M.A., LL.B., Chairman; Prof. R. S. Wallace, M.A., LL.D.; Prof. W. A. Osborne, M.B., B.Ch., D.Sc.; Secretary, J. O'Callaghan.

Marine Branch (35 Wills-street, Melbourne, F.4191): Secretary, L. F. East, I.S.O.; Director of Navigation, Captain J. K. Davis; Director of Lighthouses and Engineer in Chief, M. W. Mehaffey, B.E., A.M.I.C.E.

Meteorologist, Commonwealth (cr. Drummond and Victoria-streets, Carlton, Victoria, F.2676): W. S. Watt.

Munitions Supply Board (Victoria Barracks, St. Kilda-road, Melbourne, Central 4780): A. E. Leighton, F.I.C. (Controller-General); F. G. Sheddon, O.B.E.; M. M. Maguire, O.B.E., I.S.O.; J. K. Jensen (Member and Secretary).

Naval Board (see Defence Department).

New Guinea Trade Agent (C'wealth Bank Building, Martin-place, Sydney): H. S. Richards (Accountant, C'wealth Sub-Treasury, Sydney).

Oil Advisory Committee (Department of the Interior, Canberra): *Chief Executive Officer*, W. G. Woolnough, D.Sc., F.G.S.; A. Wade, D.Sc.; L. Keith Ward, B.A., B.E., D.Sc.; *Secretary*, J. O'Callaghan.

Parliamentary Staff, Federal (Commonwealth Parliament). (See page 15.)

Patents, Commissioner of, Registrar of Trade Marks, Registrar of Designs and Registrar of Copyrights (Acton, Canberra, 571): B. Wallach, B.E.

Principal Commonwealth Officials—*continued.*

Pensions, Invalid and Old-age, and Maternity Allowances (Dept. of the Treasury, West Block, Canberra, 531)—*Commissioner*: A. Metford, C.B.E.; *Deputy Commissioners*: N.S.W., H. Theggie; Vic., Vacant; Qld., T. A. Maguire; S.A., M. D. Mears; W.A., Vacant; Tas.; H. N. Warren.

Phosphate Commissioners, British (Henty House, Lit. Collins-street, Melbourne, Central 4536): C. McPherson, C.B.E. (Australia), A. S. Gaye, (United Kingdom), A. F. Ellis (New Zealand).

Postmaster-General's Department (C'wealth Offices, Treasury Gardens, Melbourne, C.2, Central 5551): *Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs*, H. P. Brown, C.M.G., M.B.E., M.I.E.E.; *Deputy Directors*: N.S.W., J. S. Duncan; Vic., F. W. Arnold (Actg.); Q'land., A. B. Corbett; S.A., P. Kennedy; W.A., S. R. H. Roberts; Tas., J. E. Monfries.

Prime Minister's Department (West Block, Canberra, 531): *Secretary*, F. Strahan, C.V.O., C.B.E., B.A., LL.B.; *Assistant Secretary*: H. F. Farrands.

Printer, Government (Kingston, Canberra, 585): L. F. Johnston.

Public Service Board (City, Canberra, 592): *Chairman*: W. J. Clemens, C.M.G., I.S.O.; *First Assistant Commissioner*: J. H. Starling, C.M.G., O.B.E.; *Second Assistant Commissioner*: F. G. Thorpe, M.B.E.; *Secretary*: H. A. Earl; *State Inspectors*: N.S.W., H. C. Elvins; Vic., G. P. N. Watt; Q'land., R. Anthony; S.A., G. E. Willson; W.A., C. H. Brown; Tas., H. N. Warren.

Railways, C'wealth (623 Collins-street, Melbourne, Central 4586): *Commissioner*, G. A. Gahan; *Secretary*, E. Simms.

Principal Commonwealth Officials—*continued.*

Repatriation Commission (C'wealth Offices, 315 Post Office-place, Melbourne, Central 8464): N. R. Mighell (Chairman); F. H. Rowe (Dep. Chairman); J. Webster, C.M.G.; Secretary, Cyril Smith; *Deputy Commissioners*: N.S.W., J. E. Barrett; Vic., J. C. McPhee; Q'land., B. Wilkinson; S.A., J. W. Bell; W.A., C. Taylor; Tas., H. C. Laussen; *War Pensions Assessment Appeal Tribunals*: No. 1—Chairman, H. P. Ritchie and two doctors: No. 2—H. H. Howard, LL.B. (Chairman) and two doctors; *War Pensions Entitlement Appeal Tribunal*: Lieut.-Col. A. W. Ralston, C.M.G., D.S.O., V.D., B.A., LL.B. (Chairman), Lieut.-Col. E. J. Dibdin, D.S.O., V.D., C. C. Mason.

Research, Scientific and Industrial, Council for (314 Albert-st., East Melbourne, J.4171)—*Executive Committee*: Sir G. A. Julius, Kt., B.Sc., B.E., Chairman; Sir David Rivett, K.C.M.G., M.A., D.Sc., Deputy Chairman and Chief Executive Officer; Prof. A. E. V. Richardson, M.A., D.Sc.; *Chairman of State Committees*: N.S.W., Prof. R. D. Watt, M.A., B.Sc.; Vic., W. R. Grimwade, C.B.E., B.Sc.; Q'land.; Prof. H. C. Richards, D.Sc.; S.A., T. E. Field, W.A., E. H. B. Lefroy; Tas., P. E. Kearn. *Co-opted Members*: G. S. Colman; Prof. E. J. Goddard, B.A., D.Sc.; Sir David Masson, K.B.E., F.R.S., &c., Prof. H. A. Woodruff, M.R.C.V.S., &c.; *Secretary*: G. Lightfoot, M.A.; *Chiefs of Divisions*: Plant Industry, B. T. Dickson, B.Sc., B.A., Ph.D.; Economic Entomology, A. J. Nicholson, D.Sc.; Animal Health and Animal Nutrition, L. B. Bull, D.V.Sc.; Soils, Prof. J. A. Prescott, M.Sc.; Forests Products, I. H. Boas, M.Sc.

Principal Commonwealth Officials—*continued.*

River Murray Commission (Dept. of the Interior, Acton, Canberra): Members, The Hon. the Minister for the Interior (President); T. Hill, O.B.E., M.V.I.E., M.I.E. Aust. (Deputy Commonwealth Commissioner); Frank H. Brewster; R. H. Horsfield, M.Inst. C.E., M.I.E. Aust.; J. H. O. Eaton, I.S.O., M.Inst.C.E., M.I.E. Aust.; Secretary, D. P. Israel.

Solar Observatory (Mount Stromlo, Canberra, 731, 740): Officer-in-Charge, W. B. Rimmer, M.Sc., B.E., D.I.C., A.M.I.C.E.

Statistician, C'wealth. and Economic Adviser to the Treasury (West Block, Canberra, 581): Roland Wilson, B.Com., D.Phil., Ph.D.; Assistant Statistician, H. C. Green, F.S.S.; Assistant Economist, A. Smithies, LL.B., B.A., Ph.D.; Deputy Statistician (Tas.), H. J. Exley, M.A., F.S.S.

Stores Supply and Tender Board (G.P.O. Buildings, Spencer-street, Melbourne, C.1, Central 9470): Chief Inspector, Stores and Transport, T. H. Cameron.

Superannuation Board (City, Canberra, B.173): P. Rees (Chairman); B. Latham, A.I.A.; W. J. Healy.

Tariff Board (a) (Commonwealth Offices, Treasury-Gardens, Melbourne, Central 5551): H. McConaghy, C.B.E. (Chairman); H. E. Guy; W. S. Kelly; W. J. Rose; Secretary, M. E. McCarthy.

Taxation Office: Commissioner, R. Ewing, C.M.G. (Administrative Section, West Block, Canberra, 531); Second Commissioner, L. S. Jackson (West Block, Canberra); Deputy Commissioners: Administrative, R. J. Mair.

(a) Appointed to 20.3.38.

Principal Commonwealth Officials—continued.

Sales Tax, R. R. Gibson ; Central, J. Adams ; N.S.W., A. D. B. Rowley ; Q'land., A. B. Douglas-Brown ; S.A., M. D. Mears ; W.A., H. H. Trebilco ; Tas., P. C. Douglas ; N. Terr., T. C. H. Powell.

Taxation Board of Review (C'wealth Bank Building, Pitt-street, Sydney): T. S. Hulme (Chairman); R. M. Lightband ; J. P. Hannan, LL.B.

Treasury (West Block, Canberra, 531): Secretary, H. J. Sheehan, C.B.E. ; Assistant Secretary, Administrative, A. C. Joyce ; Assistant Secretary, Finance, E. W. Yandell. *Sub-Treasuries—Accountants* : New South Wales, H. S. Richards ; Victoria, W. T. Harris ; Queensland, T. R. Evans ; South Australia, J. Cahir (Acting) ; Western Australia, R. G. Friel ; Tasmania, P. C. Douglas.

War Memorial (Australian) (Canberra, B.404) : Director, J. L. Treloar, O.B.E.

War Pensions Appeal Tribunals (See Repatriation).

War Service Homes Commission (315 Post Office-place, Melbourne, Central 3271) : Commissioner, H. H. Richardson ; Deputy Commissioners : N.S.W., R. G. Hutson ; Q'land., C. O. B. Vance ; Vic., E. J. Slater ; S.A., F. Ellis ; Tas., A. L. Smale ; W.A., A. J. Reid, Chairman, Workers' Homes Board.

Wine Overseas Marketing Board (Eagle Chambers, 7 Pirie-street, Adelaide, Central 6420.) : Chairman, H. Kay ; Secretary, H. J. Finnis.

Works Directors (See Department of the Interior).

GOVERNMENTS.(a)
NEW SOUTH WALES.

GOVERNOR :

HIS EXCELLENCY ADMIRAL SIR MURRAY
ANDERSON, K.C.B., C.M.G., M.V.O.

MINISTRY (16th May, 1932) :

Premier and Colonial Treasurer :

HON. B. S. B. STEVENS.

Deputy Premier and Minister for Transport :

LIEUT.-COL. THE HON. M. F. BRUXNER, D.S.O.

*Attorney-General and Vice-President of the Executive
Council :*

HON. H. E. MANNING, K.C., M.L.C.

*Minister for Local Government and Secretary for Public
Works :*

HON. E. S. SPOONER.

Secretary for Lands :

HON. E. A. BUTTENSHAW.

Colonial Secretary :

CAPT. THE HON. F. A. CHAFFEY.

Minister for Education :

HON. D. H. DRUMMOND.

Minister for Labour and Industry :

HON. J. M. DUNNINGHAM.

Minister for Agriculture :

HON. H. MAIN.

(a) Dates of swearing in of Ministries are given
in parentheses.

GOVERNMENT—NEW SOUTH WALES—*contd.**Assistant Minister in the Legislative Council :*

HON. J. RYAN, M.L.C.

Secretary for Mines and Minister for Forests :

HON. R. S. VINCENT.

Minister of Justice :

HON. L. O. MARTIN.

Minister for Health :

HON. H. P. FITZSIMONS.

Minister for Social Services :

HON. H. M. HAWKINS, M.L.C.

Assistant Minister without portfolio :

MAJOR THE HON. J. B. SHAND, V.D.

GOVERNMENT—VICTORIA.

GOVERNOR :

HIS EXCELLENCY CAPTAIN THE RT. HON.
WILLIAM CHARLES ARCEDECKNE
BARON HUNTINGFIELD, K.C.M.G.

MINISTRY (2nd April, 1935) :

Premier and Treasurer :

HON. A. A. DUNSTAN.

*Minister of Water Supply, and Minister-in-Charge of
Electrical Undertakings :*

HON. F. E. OLD.

GOVERNMENT—VICTORIA—continued.

Minister of Agriculture, Minister of Mines, and a Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works :

HON. E. J. HOGAN.

President of the Board of Land and Works, Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, and Minister of Forests :

HON. A. E. LIND.

Minister of Transport, Attorney-General, Solicitor-General, and a Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works :

HON. A. L. BUSSAU.

Chief Secretary:

HON. H. S. BAILEY.

Minister of Labour :

HON. E. J. MACKRELL.

Minister of Public Instruction and Minister of Public Health :

HON. J. R. HARRIS, M.L.C.

Commissioner of Public Works, Minister-in-Charge of Immigration, and a Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works :

HON. G. L. GOUDIE, M.L.C.

Ministers without Portfolio :

HON. G. J. TUCKETT, M.L.C.

HON. H. PYE, M.L.C.

HON. H. J. T. HYLAND.

GOVERNMENT—QUEENSLAND.

GOVERNOR :

HIS EXCELLENCY COLONEL THE RT. HON.
SIR LESLIE ORME WILSON, G.C.S.I.,
G.C.I.E., C.M.G., D.S.O.

MINISTRY (17th June, 1932):

Premier, Chief Secretary, and Treasurer :

HON. W. FORGAN SMITH.

Secretary for Public Lands :

HON. P. PEASE.

Secretary for Labour and Industry :

HON. M. P. HYNES.

Secretary for Mines :

HON. J. STOPFORD.

Attorney-General :

HON. J. MULLAN.

Secretary for Public Works :

HON. H. A. BRUCE.

Secretary for Public Instruction :

HON. F. A. COOPER.

Secretary for Agriculture and Stock :

HON. F. W. BULCOCK.

Secretary for Health and Home Affairs :

HON. E. M. HANLON.

Minister for Transport :

HON. J. DASH.

GOVERNMENT—SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

GOVERNOR :

HIS EXCELLENCY MAJOR-GENERAL SIR
WINSTON JOSEPH DUGAN, K.C.M.G., C.B.,
D.S.O.

MINISTRY (18th April, 1933) :

Premier, Treasurer, and Minister of Immigration :

HON. R. L. BUTLER.

*Chief Secretary, Minister of Mines, and Minister of
Health :*

HON. SIR GEORGE RITCHIE, K.C.M.G., M.L.C.

*Attorney-General, Minister of Education, and Minister
of Industry and Employment :*

HON. S. W. JEFFRIES.

*Commissioner of Crown Lands, Minister of Repatria-
tion, Minister of Irrigation, and Minister of
Afforestation :*

HON. M. MCINTOSH.

*Commissioner of Public Works, Minister of Railways,
and Minister of Marine :*

HON. H. S. HUDD, M.C.

*Minister of Agriculture and Minister of Local
Government :*

HON. A. P. BLESING, M.L.C.

GOVERNMENT—WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE HON. SIR JAMES
MITCHELL, K.C.M.G.

MINISTRY (26th April, 1933) :

Premier, Treasurer and Minister for Forests :

HON. J. C. WILLCOCK.

Minister for Lands and Immigration :

HON. M. F. TROY.

Minister for Mines and Health :

HON. S. W. MUNSIE.

*Minister for Works, Water Supplies, and Local
Government :*

HON. H. MILLINGTON.

*Minister for Agriculture, Education, Police and the
North-West :*

HON. F. J. S. WISE.

*Minister for Employment, Labour, Child Welfare and
Industrial Development :*

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I.—AREA AND POPULATION.

State or Territory.(a)	Year of Formation into Separate Colony or Territory.	Area in Square Miles.	Population.(b)	
			Census 30th June, 1933.	Estimated 31st March, 1936.
N.S.W.	1786	309,432	2,600,847	2,663,360
Vic. ..	1851	87,884	1,820,261	1,846,962
Q'ld. ..	1859	670,500	947,534	973,905
S.A. ..	1834	380,070	580,949	587,206
W.A. ...	1829	975,920	438,852	448,969
Tas. ..	1825	26,215	227,599	231,209
N. Ter.	1863(c)	523,620	4,850	5,153
F.C.T.	1911	940	8,947	9,681
Total	..	2,974,581	6,629,839	6,766,445

(a) The six States with their included Territories were federated under the name "Commonwealth of Australia" on the 1st January, 1901.

(b) Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.

(c) Transferred to Commonwealth in 1911.

2.—METROPOLITAN POPULATION—AUSTRALIA AND OTHER COUNTRIES.

Metropolis.	Year.	Popula- tion.
Canberra (Fed. Cap)	31st Dec., 1935	7,700
Sydney (N.S.W.) ..		1,254,780
Melbourne (Vic.) ..		1,008,300
Brisbane (Qld.) ..		306,154
Adelaide (S.A.) ..		315,130
Perth (W.A.) ..		210,365
Hobart (Tas.) ..		60,900
Total of above ..	..	3,163,329
Wellington (N.Z.) ..	1935	148,100
Amsterdam (N'lands)	1935	781,897
Athens (Greece) ..	1931	473,200
Berlin (Germany) ..	1935	4,194,000
Brussels (Belgium)	1933	891,422
Budapest (H'gry) ..	1935	1,049,876
Capetown (S.A'a) (a)	1933	140,900
Copenhagen (D'mk)	1932	812,619
Dublin (Irish F. St.)	1935	428,800
Edinburgh (Scot'nd)	1935	461,400
Lisbon (Portugal) ..	1933	594,000
London (Eng'nd) ..	1935	8,474,903
Madrid (Spain) ..	1934	1,048,072
Moscow (Russia) ..	1933	3,663,300
New York (N.Y.St.)	1934	7,473,701
Ottawa (Canada) ..	1931	126,872
Paris (France) ..	1931	2,891,020
Prague (Cz'slovakia)	1933	897,251
Rome (Italy) ..	1935	1,189,685
Stockholm (Sw'd'n)	1934	526,027
Tokyo (Japan) ..	1934	5,662,900
Vienna (Austria) ..	1934	1,874,130
Washington (U.S.A.)	1930	486,869

(a) European population.

3.—POPULATION OF PRINCIPAL CITIES AND TOWNS IN AUSTRALIA—CENSUS, 1933.

(Exclusive of Capital Cities.)

City or Town.	State.	Population.
Newcastle and Suburbs ..	N.S.W.	104,485
Geelong and Suburbs ..	Vic. ..	39,223
Ballarat and Suburbs ..	Vic. ..	37,411
Launceston and Suburbs ..	Tas. ..	32,833
Rockhampton ..	Qld. ..	29,369
Bendigo and Suburbs ..	Vic. ..	29,131
Broken Hill ..	N.S.W.	26,925
Toowoomba ..	Qld. ..	26,423
Townsville ..	Qld. ..	25,876
Ipswich ..	Qld. ..	22,498
Kalgoorlie and Suburbs ..	W.A. ..	17,326
Goulburn ..	N.S.W.	14,849
Cessnock ..	N.S.W.	14,385
Lithgow ..	N.S.W.	13,444
Cairns ..	Qld. ..	11,993
Lismore ..	N.S.W.	11,762
Port Pirie ..	S.A. ..	11,677
Wagga Wagga ..	N.S.W.	11,631
Bundaberg ..	Qld. ..	11,466
Maryborough ..	Qld. ..	11,415
Wollongong ..	N.S.W.	11,403
Mackay ..	Qld. ..	10,665
Albury ..	N.S.W.	10,543
Bathurst ..	N.S.W.	10,413
Tamworth ..	N.S.W.	9,913
Orange ..	N.S.W.	9,634
Warrnambool ..	Vic. ..	8,906
Fairfield ..	N.S.W.	8,709
Dubbo ..	N.S.W.	8,344
West Maitland ..	N.S.W.	8,191
Gympie ..	Qld. ..	7,749

4.—POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS— SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Heading.		1921.	1934.	1935.
Population at 31st Dec. (,000 omitted.)	{ Males Fem. Total	2,799 2,712 5,511	3,401 3,305 6,706	3,422 3,331 6,753
Births	.. { Males Fem. Total Rate <i>a</i>	70,039 66,159 136,198 24.95	55,848 53,627 109,475 16.39	56,892 54,433 111,325 16.55
Marriages	.. { No. Rate <i>a</i>	46,869 8.59	51,465 7.71	56,826 8.45
Deaths	.. { Males Fem. Total Rate <i>a</i>	30,652 23,424 54,076 9.91	34,571 27,658 62,229 9.32	35,691 27,908 63,599 9.46
Deaths of Child'n under one Year	{ Males Fem. Total Rate <i>b</i>	5,111 3,841 8,952 65.73	2,697 2,075 4,772 43.59	2,537 1,892 4,429 39.78
Natural Increase		82,122	47,246	47,726
Rate of Natural In- crease (<i>a</i>)..	..	15.04	7.07	7.09

(*a*) Number per 1,000 of mean population. (*b*)
Number per 1,000 births.

5.—VITAL STATISTICS—STATE AND METROPOLITAN RATES, 1935.

State or Metropolis.	Birth.(a)	Death.(a)	Infant Mortality.(b)	Natural Increase.(a)	Net Im- migration.(c)	Total Increase.(c)
State—						
N.S.W. . .	16.9	9.3	39.4	7.6	0.05	0.81
Vic. . .	15.2	10.0	41.2	5.2	-0.21	0.31
Qld. . .	18.3	9.2	37.3	9.1	0.25	1.16
S.A. . .	14.1	8.8	35.0	5.3	-0.16	0.37
W.A. . .	18.2	9.2	40.2	9.0	0.25	1.15
Tas. . .	19.4	10.2	51.8	9.2	-0.23	0.69
Metropoli- tan—						
Sydney ..	13.5	10.0	35.6	3.5	0.11	0.46
Melbourne	13.2	10.7	43.0	2.5	0.57	0.82
Brisbane	14.6	10.7	42.4	3.9	0.01	0.40
Adelaide	12.0	10.1	35.1	1.9	0.24	0.43
Perth ..	16.6	10.8	40.0	5.8	0.34	0.92
Hobart ..	15.9	13.0	73.5	2.9	0.36	0.65

(a) Number per 1,000 of mean population. (b) Number per 1,000 births. (c) Per cent. of mean population.

6.—ESTIMATED MIGRATION—AUSTRALIA.

Particulars.	1931.	1932.	1933.	1934.	1935.
Arrivals—					
Males ..	21,986	22,637	24,457	27,451	27,676
Females ..	18,428	19,360	23,335	26,253	27,740
Persons ..	40,414	41,997	47,792	53,704	55,416
Departures <i>a</i>					
Males ..	30,356	24,864	25,053	26,428	28,182
Females ..	20,152	20,130	22,525	24,996	27,523
Persons ..	50,508	44,994	47,578	51,424	55,705
Excess of Arrivals	-10,094	-2,997	214	2,280	- 289

(a) Adjusted in accordance with the revised results of the Census of the 30th June, 1933.

Note.—Minus sign (—) denotes Excess of Departures over Arrivals.

7.—NOMINATED AND SELECTED IMMIGRANTS WHO ARRIVED IN AUSTRALIA.

Particulars.	1931.	1932.	1933.	1934.	1935.
Nominated—					
Males ..	71	23	4	13	1
Females ..	124	38	21	6	7
Persons ..	195	61	25	19	8
Selected—					
Males ..	40	58	..	98	61
Females ..	40	56	..	42	31
Persons ..	80	114	..	140	92
Total ..	275	175	25	159	100

8.—MIGRATION—NATIONALITY OR RACE, AUSTRALIA.

Nationality or Race.	Arrivals.		Departures.	
	Year.		Year.	
	1934.	1935.	1934.	1935.
European—				
British ..	45,450	46,124	44,641	48,297
Danish ..	61	71	70	68
Dutch ..	148	228	134	206
Finnish ..	10	23	28	34
French ..	626	630	541	640
German ..	308	316	263	308
Greek ..	358	441	242	255
Italian ..	1,765	1,993	902	572
Maltese				
(British) ..	63	67	73	40
Norwegian ..	31	37	29	42
Russian ..	86	83	75	99
Swedish ..	57	62	40	60
Swiss ..	102	112	92	92
United States	1,111	1,556	1,071	1,394
Yugoslav ..	197	311	132	132
Other Euro- pean ..	422	467	314	380
Total, European Races ..	50,795	52,521	48,647	52,619

**8.—MIGRATION—NATIONALITY OR RACE,
AUSTRALIA—continued.**

Nationality or Race.	Arrivals.		Departures.	
	Year.		Year.	
	1934.	1935.	1934.	1935.
Non-European—				
Chinese ..	1,580	1,538	1,613	1,587
Filipinos ..	6	5	10	7
Japanese ..	381	434	355	422
Malays ..	45	53	20	50
Natives of East Indies	83	56	84	204
Natives of India and Ceylon ..	410	403	299	394
Syrians ..	50	50	25	20
Other Asiatics	48	36	46	101
Papuans ..	230	226	269	215
Polynesians, Melanesians	47	87	25	80
Other Non- European ..	29	7	31	6
Total, Non- European Na- tionalities or Races ..	2,909	2,895	2,777	3,086
TOTAL, ALL NA- TIONALITIES OR RACES ..	53,704	55,416	51,424	55,705

9.—URBAN AND RURAL POPULATION— AUSTRALIA, CENSUS, 1933.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Division.	Males.	Females.	Total.	% on Total.
Urban— Metro- politan	1,474,979	1,632,435	3,107,414	46.87
Provin- cial ..	556,154	568,550	1,124,704	16.97
Rural ..	1,321,212	1,059,805	2,381,017	35.91
Migratory	14,766	1,938	16,704	0.25
Total ..	3,367,111	3,262,728	6,629,839	100.00

10.—URBAN AND RURAL POPULATION— AUSTRALIA, 1921 AND 1933.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Division.	Census, 1921.	Census, 1933.	Increase 1921-33. (a)	Increase per cent. 1921-33. (a)
Urban— Metro- politan	2,338,079	3,107,414	769,335	32.90
Provin- cial ..	1,037,468	1,124,704	87,236	8.41
Rural ..	2,030,422	2,381,017	350,595	17.27
Migratory	29,765	16,704	—13,061	—43.88
Total ..	5,435,734	6,629,839	1,194,105	21.97

(a) Minus sign (—) denotes decrease.

11.—AGES OF POPULATION—AUSTRALIA, CENSUS, 1933.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Age Last Birthday.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
0-4 ..	290,461	278,504	568,965
5-9 ..	318,937	308,443	627,380
10-14 ..	317,526	307,696	625,222
15-19 ..	311,792	303,618	615,410
20-24 ..	298,001	286,617	584,618
25-29 ..	277,462	256,508	533,970
30-34 ..	251,515	237,664	489,179
35-39 ..	228,660	237,493	466,153
40-44 ..	229,822	226,469	456,291
45-49 ..	209,325	199,388	408,713
50-54 ..	171,688	162,774	334,462
55-59 ..	132,314	128,857	261,171
60-64 ..	114,859	113,746	228,605
65-69 ..	92,946	90,499	183,445
70-74 ..	66,018	64,282	130,300
75-79 ..	35,920	36,255	72,175
80-84 ..	13,862	15,736	29,598
85-89 ..	4,640	6,234	10,874
90-94 ..	1,148	1,607	2,755
95-99 ..	184	306	490
100 and over ..	31	32	63
Total ..	3,367,111	3,262,728	6,629,839
0-5 ..	354,297	339,579	693,876
6-13 ..	514,093	498,447	1,012,540
14-20 ..	431,793	419,788	851,581
21-64 ..	1,852,179	1,789,963	3,642,142
65 and over ..	214,749	214,951	429,700

**12.—CONJUGAL CONDITION OF POPULATION—
AUSTRALIA, 1921 AND 1933.**
(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Conjugal Condition.	Census, 1921.	Census, 1933.	Increase, 1921-1933.
Never Married—			
Under Age 15	1,725,004	1,821,567	96,563
Age 15 and over	1,451,176	1,844,035	392,859
Total ..	3,176,180	3,665,602	489,422
Married ..	1,998,662	2,593,615	594,953
Widowed ..	237,821	327,955	90,134
Divorced ..	8,528	21,113	12,585
Not Stated ..	14,543	21,554	7,011
Total ..	5,435,734	6,629,839	1,194,105

**13.—INCOMES OF POPULATION—AUSTRALIA,
CENSUS, 1933.**
(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Income.	Breadwinners.			Other persons (a) with Incomes.
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	
No Income ..	289,295	59,271	348,566	..
Under £52 per annum	566,814	308,689	875,503	137,011
£52 to £103 per annum ..	385,055	188,556	573,611	43,556
£104 to £155 per annum	273,033	102,653	375,686	17,413
£156 to £207 per annum	265,649	41,550	307,199	7,556
£208 to £259 per annum	222,772	17,508	240,280	4,325
£260 or over per annum	307,804	23,933	331,737	8,755
Not Stated ..	57,358	45,681	103,039	..
Total ..	2,367,780	787,841	3,155,621	218,616

(a) Includes persons engaged in home duties scholars, and other dependants.

14.—RELIGIONS OF POPULATION—AUSTRALIA, 1921 AND 1933.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Religion.	Census, 1921.	Census, 1933.	Increase(a) 1921-1933.
Christian—			
Baptist ..	105,703	105,874	171
Catholic,			
Roman ..	1,134,002	1,161,455	27,453
Catholic (b)	38,659	127,542	88,883
Church of			
Christ ..	54,574	62,754	8,180
Church of			
England	2,372,995	2,565,118	192,123
Congrega-			
tional ..	74,513	65,202	— 9,311
Lutheran ..	57,519	60,803	3,284
Methodist	632,629	684,022	51,393
Presbyterian	636,974	713,229	76,255
Protestant(b)	67,112	72,764	5,652
Salvation			
Army ..	31,589	31,210	— 379
Other ..	61,372	77,765	16,393
Total Christian	5,267,641	5,727,738	460,097
Non-Christian—			
Chinese ..	3,591	305	— 3,286
Hebrew ..	21,615	23,553	1,938
Mohammedan	2,868	1,877	— 991
Other ..	7,331	2,735	— 4,596
Total Non-			
Christian ..	35,405	28,470	— 6,935
Indefinite ..	19,886	13,029	— 6,857
No Religion ..	20,544	11,654	— 8,890
No Reply ..	92,258	848,948	756,690
Total ..	5,435,734	6,629,839	1,194,105

(a) Minus sign (—) denotes decrease. (b) Undefined.

15.—BIRTHPLACES OF POPULATION— AUSTRALIA, 1921 AND 1933.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Birthplace.	Census, 1921.	Census, 1933.	Increase(a) 1921-1933.
Australia ..	4,581,663	5,716,787	1,135,124
New Zealand	38,611	45,963	7,352
Other Aus- tralasian ..	524	774	250
England ..	446,124	486,039	39,915
Wales ..	13,490	14,486	996
Scotland ..	108,756	132,290	23,534
Ireland ..	105,033	78,548	- 26,485
Germany ..	22,396	16,829	- 5,567
Greece ..	3,654	8,293	4,639
Italy ..	8,135	26,693	18,558
Other European	36,841	43,139	6,298
British India	6,918	6,768	- 150
China ..	15,224	8,555	- 6,669
Other Asiatic	8,150	9,192	1,042
South African Union ..	5,408	6,178	770
Other African	1,367	1,642	275
Canada ..	3,550	3,920	370
United States of America	6,604	6,054	- 550
Other American	1,918	1,593	- 325
Polynesian ..	3,168	2,880	- 288
At Sea ..	3,708	2,051	- 1 657
Not Stated ..	14,492	11,165	- 3,327
Total ..	5,435,734	6,629,839	1,194,105

(a) Minus sign (-) denotes decrease.

16.—POPULATION ACCORDING TO RACE— AUSTRALIA, 1921 AND 1933.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Race.	Census, 1921.	Census, 1933.	Increase(a) 1921-1933.
Full-blood— European ..	5,387,143	6,579,993	1,192,850
Non-European			
Chinese ..	17,157	10,846	— 6,311
Indian(b) ..	2,881	2,404	— 477
Japanese ..	2,740	2,241	— 499
Malay ..	1,087	969	— 118
Polynesian	2,113	1,388	— 725
Syrian ..	2,892	2,880	— 12
Other ..	2,105	2,052	— 53
Total Non-European			
Full-blood	30,975	22,780	— 9,195
Half-caste—			
Australian			
Aboriginal	11,536	20,620	9,084
Chinese ..	3,669	3,503	— 166
Indian(b) ..	695	694	— 1
Japanese ..	188	225	37
Polynesian ..	349	434	85
Syrian ..	348	302	— 46
Other ..	831	1,288	457
Total, Half-caste	17,616	27,066	9,450
Grand Total	5,435,734	6,629,839	1,194,105

(a) Minus sign (—) denotes decrease. (b) Native of India.

17.—OCCUPATIONS—NUMBERS ENGAGED IN INDUSTRY—AUSTRALIA, 1921 AND 1933.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Industry Group.	Census, 1921.	Census, 1933.	Increase (a)1921- 1933.
Fishing and Trapping	10,752	14,611	3,859
Agricultural and Pastoral, &c. ..	481,355	547,787	66,432
Forestry	30,280	26,133	- 4,147
Mining, &c. ..	66,766	68,520	1,754
Industrial—			
Manufacturing ..	445,574	511,511	65,937
Building	95,274	107,446	12,172
Roads, Earthworks, &c.	137,106	217,656	80,550
Other	39,852	29,558	-10,294
Total Industrial	717,806	866,171	148,365
Transport and Com- munication ..	207,737	223,893	16,156
Commerce, &c. ..	330,678	451,172	120,494
Public Administra- tion, &c. ..	215,229	232,212	16,983
Entertainment, &c.	17,830	24,250	6,420
Domestic Service ..	209,814	242,378	32,564
No Industry, &c. ..	61,414	b195,430	134,016
Pensioners	(c)	263,064	(c)
Dependants	3,086,073	3,474,218	388,145
Total	5,435,734	6,629,839	1,194,105

(a) Minus sign (-) denotes decrease. (b) Includes unemployed persons for whom industry was not stated; also a number who were described as independent and who have been included tentatively pending further analysis. (c) Comparable figures not available.

18.—GRADE OF EMPLOYMENT OF POPULATION —AUSTRALIA, 1921 AND 1933.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Grade.	Census, 1921.	Census, 1933.	Increase(a) 1921-1933.
Employer ..	139,623	207,680	68,057
Working on Own Account ..	342,321	369,375	27,054
Wage or Salary Earner ..	1,502,893	1,421,140	115,611
Apprenticed Wage Earner		26,367	
Wage Earner Employed Part Time ..		170,997	
Unemployed ..	159,080	481,044	321,964
Helper not re- ceiving wages	34,792	46,016	11,224
Grade not ap- plicable (b) ..	3,224,243	3,901,562	677,319
Not Stated ..	32,782	5,658	-27,124
Total ..	5,435,734	6,629,839	1,194,105

(a) Minus sign (—) denotes decrease. (b) Includes pensioners, persons of private means not in business, those engaged in home duties, scholars and other dependants.

**19.—OCCUPIED DWELLINGS,—CENSUS,
1933.**

State or Terri- tory.	Private.	Other.	Total.	Per Private Dwelling.		
				Rooms.	Inmates.	
					1921.	1933.
N.S.W.	585,450	14,300	599,750	4.94	4.52	4.14
Vlc. ..	422,277	10,595	432,872	5.20	4.34	4.01
Qld. ..	210,427	5,695	216,122	4.95	4.40	4.14
S.A. ..	136,611	2,663	139,274	5.13	4.34	4.02
W.A...	100,441	3,137	103,578	4.39	4.11	3.95
Tas. ..	51,310	1,174	52,484	4.97	4.44	4.18
N.T...	1,222	79	1,301	2.71	2.83	2.79
F.C.T.	1,933	62	1,995	4.75	4.39	4.10
Total	1,509,671	37,705	1,547,376	4.99	4.40	4.08

**20.—LAND SETTLEMENT—AUSTRALIA, 31st
DECEMBER, 1934.
,000 OMITTED.**

Land—	N.S.W. (a)	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.(a).
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Alienated ..	45,698	26,660	19,449	12,176
In process of alienation ..	22,842	6,631	8,574	3,821
Held under Lease or Licence ..	112,486	5,937	332,048	121,976
Other Crown lands ..	617,010	17,018	69,049	105,272
Total ..	198,036	56,246	429,120	243,245

Land—	W.A.(a)	Tas.	Nor. Terr. (a)	Fed. Cap. Terr.	Aus- tralia.
	Acres.	Acres	Acres.	Acres	Acres.
Alienated ..	16,766	5,804	478	73	127,104
In process of aliena- tion ..	17,351	468	..	34	59,721
Held under Lease or Licence	203,602	2,704	184,326	313	963,392
Other Crown Lands	386,870	7,802	150,313	c163	753,497
Total ..	624,589	16,778	335,117	583	1,903,714

(a) 30th June of year following. (b) Includes
Lord Howe Island. (c) Includes Jervis Bay area.

21.—RAINFALL AND TEMPERATURE—STATE AND FEDERAL CAPITAL CITIES.

Capital.	Height above Mean Sea Level.	Annual Rainfall.		
		Average.	Highest on record	Lowest on record
	Feet.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Sydney ..	138	47.32	82.76	23.01
Melbourne..	115	25.72	38.04	15.61
Brisbane ..	137	45.31	88.26	16.17
Adelaide ..	140	21.17	30.87	11.39
Perth ..	197	34.88	49.22	20.21
Hobart ..	177	24.06	43.39	13.43
Canberra ..	1,920	23.03	33.71	16.31

Capital.	Temperature.			
	Mean Summer.	Mean Winter.	Highest on record	Lowest on record
	Fah.	Fah.	Fah.	Fah.
Sydney ..	70.9	54.3	108.5	35.7
Melbourne..	66.6	50.1	111.2	27.0
Brisbane ..	76.7	59.8	108.9	36.1
Adelaide ..	72.9	53.1	116.3	32.0
Perth ..	73.2	56.0	112.2	34.2
Hobart ..	61.4	46.9	105.2	27.0
Canberra ..	67.7	43.9	104.2	14.0

22.—BUILDING PERMITS (a) CAPITAL CITIES AND SUBURBS—AUSTRALIA.

£'000 omitted.

City and Sub- urbs of—		1932-33	1933-34	1934-35	1935-36
		£	£	£	£
Sydney	..	2,258	4,140	7,632	9,385
Melbourne	..	2,568	4,218	5,604	7,162
Brisbane (b)	..	793	1,051	1,654	2,237
Adelaide	..	400	617	1,164	1,239
Perth	..	731	988	1,354	1,621
Hobart (c)	..	100	169	203	328
Total		6,850	11,183	17,611	21,972

(a) Value of permits issued for Dwellings, Other Buildings, and Alterations and Additions.

(b) Includes Government Buildings. (c) Includes Government Buildings erected by contract.

23.—PASTORAL STATISTICS—AUSTRALIA.

,000 omitted, except in value per head.

Particulars.	1924-25.	1933-34.	1934-35.
Number of Live Stock—			
Sheep (a) ..	93,155	109,921	113,048
Cattle ..	13,309	13,512	14,049
Horses ..	2,292	1,763	1,768
Stock Slaughtered—			
Sheep .. No.	9,236	19,233	18,793
Cattle .. No.	2,505	2,205	2,713
Production—			
Beef—			
Quantity lb.	1,276,350	909,491	1,027,162
Value .. £	19,328	13,235	13,112
Mutton and Lamb—			
Quantity lb.	369,118	733,061	716,784
Value .. £	10,046	12,529	13,184
Wool (b)—			
Quantity lb.	776,882	995,931	1,015,424
Value .. £	81,430	63,037	40,446
Skins—Value £	7,830	4,787	5,200
Tallow—			
Quantity cwt.	1,339	964	1,335
Value .. £	2,616	932	1,440
Value of Pastoral Production(e) £	127,301	95,613	74,556
Value per head of Population ..	£21 13s. 1d.	£14 7s. 4d.	£11 2s. 6d.
Total Exports of Australian Pastoral Products (c) .. £	80,422	68,941	52,257
Exports of Wool (d) £	63,263	57,111	39,266

(a) Estimate, 31st December, 1935, 111,594,479.

(b) Estimate, 1935-36, 1,000,000,000 lb. (c) For further details see page 78, *et seq.* (d) Exports of wool for the five years ending 1934-35 averaged £39.4 million. (e) Gross values.

24.—DAIRYING STATISTICS—AUSTRALIA.

,000 omitted, except in Production per Cow.

Particulars.	1924-25.	1933-34.	1934-35.
Number of Dairy Cows	2,445	3,266	3,396
Production—			
Milk .. gals.	862,394	1,145,304	1,184,925
Butter (b) .. lb.	313,952	450,936	469,079
Cheese .. lb.	31,442	38,476	39,975
Condensed, &c. lb.	62,009	53,659	63,511
Production per Dairy Cow—			
Milk .. gal.	363	375	373
Butter .. lb.	132	148	148
Number of Pigs (a) ..	980	1,047	1,158
Number of Pigs Slaughtered	1,227	1,626	1,749
Production—			
Bacon and Ham lb.	69,312	71,490	71,005
Pork .. lb.	33,724	63,237	78,063
Exports (c)—			
Butter .. lb.	145,281	244,300	262,519
Cheese .. lb.	10,354	9,315	16,829
Bacon and Ham lb.	1,665	1,665	1,562
Pork, Frozen lb.	61	8,664	15,636
Total Value of—			
Dairy Production (d) £	45,190	40,306	44,763
Butter .. £	20,486	19,182	21,390
Eggs and Poultry £	9,319	8,547	8,963
Milk .. £	6,418	5,741	6,492
Bacon and Ham £	3,845	2,641	2,824
Exports of Dairy Products (c) .. £	12,309	10,588	12,425

(a) Estimate, 31st December, 1935, 1,200,000.
 (b) Estimate, 1935-36, 400,000,000 lb. (c) For further details see page 78, *et seq.* (d) Gross values.

25.—AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS—AUSTRALIA.
 ,000 OMITTED IN AREA AND YIELD.

Crop.		1924-25.	1933-34.	1934-35.
Wheat(a)	{ Acres ..	10,825	14,901	12,544
	{ Yield, bus.	164,559	177,338	133,393
	{ Aver. „	15.20	11.90	10.63
Oats	{ Acres ..	1,165	1,374	1,562
	{ Yield, bus.	19,394	16,922	16,906
	{ Aver. „	16.65	12.32	10.83
Barley	{ Acres ..	260	465	456
	{ Yield, bus.	5,066	7,959	8,032
	{ Aver. „	19.47	17.12	17.62
Maize	{ Acres ..	399	304	295
	{ Yield, bus.	12,432	7,494	8,101
	{ Aver. „	31.16	24.67	27.46
Hay	{ Acres ..	3,026	3,081	3,178
	{ Yield, tons	4,068	3,583	3,811
	{ Aver. „	1.34	1.16	1.20
Potatoes	{ Acres ..	139	140	131
	{ Yield, tons	332	328	286
	{ Aver. „	2.39	2.35	2.19

(a) Estimate, 1935-36, 142,600,000 bushels.

25.—AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS—AUSTRALIA

—continued.

,000 OMITTED, EXCEPT IN AVERAGES.

Crop.		1924-25.	1933-34.	1934-35.
Sugar Cane	{ Acres ..	274	329	322
	{ Yield, tons	3,400	4,898	4,499
	{ Aver. „(a)	19.38	20.57	19.90
Sugar Produced (b) ..		436	666	641
Orchards	{ Acres ..	277	282	278
	{ Pro-duction £	7,484	7,082	7,343
Vineyards	{ Acres ..	114	116	117
	{ Wine prod. gal.	13,299	13,996	16,265
Total Area under Crop acres		17,278	22,454	20,429
Value of Agricultural Production (d) £		107,163	70,732	68,587
Average Value of Crops—				
Per acre		£6/4/1	£3/3/6	£3/7/2
Per Head of Population		£18/4/7	£10/12/7	£10/4/8
Average price of wheat(c) per bus.		5s. 4½d.	2s. 10d.	2s. 7½d.

(a) Per acre of productive area. (b) Estimated yield, 1935, 635,851 tons. (c) Year ended December previous. Average price for 1935, 3s. 2d. per bushel. (d) Gross values.

26.—MINERAL PRODUCTION—AUSTRALIA.

,000 OMITTED, EXCEPT IN LAST TWO ITEMS.

Mineral.	1925.	1934.	1935.(b)
Gold .. fine oz.	559	887	910
Silver .. oz.	10,883	11,254	11,982
Lead .. ton	181	218	229
Zinc .. "	126	82	122
Copper .. "	12	9	13
Tin .. "	3.2	2.5	3.1
Coal .. "	13,627	9,579	10,888
" Brown .. "	876	2,618	2,222
Limestone Flux .. "	301	301	(d)
Ironstone .. "	587	1,264	1,870
Pig Iron produced(a),..	460	487	698
Steel Ingots (a) .. "	388	518	697
Steel Rails, Bars, &c.(a)	321	432	586
Value of Mineral Production (c) £	24,529	19,948	23,546
Value per head of Population ..	£4/1/10	£2/19/9	£3/10/0
Number of Miners Employed	54,999	63,609	66,800

(a) Year ending June. (b) Subject to revision.
(c) Gross values. (d) Not yet available.

27.—MANUFACTURING STATISTICS— SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA.

,000 OMITTED.

Particulars.	1924-25.	1933-34.	1934-35.
Number of Factories (c)	20,795	23,297	24,211
Hands Employed <i>b</i> { M. F.	323 105	289 117	323 127
Total ..	428	406	450
Wages paid (a) £	81,360	64,445	72,825
Wages paid per employee (c) £	198	166	169
Power and Fuel used £	11,713	11,215	12,338
Net h.p. used ..	624	884	942
Net h.p. used per employee (c) ..	1.46	2.18	2.09
Raw Materials used £	221,994	189,827	209,047
Value of Production £	147,137	129,092	143,527
Value of Production per employee (c) £	344	318	319
Total Value of Output £	380,844	330,134	364,912
Value of Land and Buildings £	91,242	107,506	110,841
Plant and Machinery £	109,243	120,208	122,641

(a) Excluding Working Proprietors. (b) Including Working Proprietors, 17,450 in 1924-25, 18,532 in 1933-34, and 19,558 in 1934-35. (c) Actual number or value.

28.—MANUFACTURING STATISTICS—CLASSES OF INDUSTRY, FACTORIES AND EMPLOYEES, AUSTRALIA, 1934-35.

Class of Industry.	Factories.	Employees.
	No.	No.
I. Treatment of Mine and Quarry Products ..	433	6,550
II. Bricks, Pottery, Glass, etc. ..	431	11,483
III. Chemicals, Dyes, Explosives, Paint, etc. ..	596	14,846
IV. Industrial Metals, Machines, etc. ..	6,100	125,640
V. Precious Metals, Jewellery, etc. ..	270	2,737
VI. Textiles and Textile Goods	588	38,042
VII. Skins and Leather ..	518	9,779
VIII. Clothing ..	4,229	78,074
IX. Food, Drink, and Tobacco	4,657	70,517
X. Woodworking and Basketware ..	2,446	24,192
XI. Furniture, Bedding, etc.	1,020	11,306
XII. Paper, Printing and Binding ..	1,750	34,018
XIII. Rubber ..	292	7,369
XIV. Musical Instruments ..	29	460
XV. Miscellaneous Products ..	349	5,786
XVI. Heat, Light and Power ..	503	8,799
Total ..	24,211	449,598

29.—MANUFACTURING STATISTICS—WAGES,
FUEL, MATERIALS, VALUE OF PRODUCTION,
AUSTRALIA, 1934-35.

,000 OMITTED.

Class. (a)		Wages Paid.	Value of Power and Fuel Used.	Value of Materials Used.	Value of Production.
		£	£	£	£
I.	..	1,298	569	2,869	3,254
II.	..	1,958	677	1,249	3,472
III.	..	2,641	447	11,968	9,032
IV.	..	23,254	3,516	45,929	36,205
V.	..	398	22	439	683
VI.	..	4,570	558	12,908	8,233
VII.	..	1,502	159	6,693	2,810
VIII.	..	8,091	248	15,518	13,073
IX.	..	13,083	2,272	84,900	32,374
X.	..	3,953	232	8,520	6,489
XI.	..	1,627	74	3,266	2,726
XII.	..	6,239	358	7,823	11,320
XIII.	..	1,245	233	3,420	2,426
XIV.	..	80	4	50	132
XV.	..	763	56	1,564	1,643
XVI.	..	2,123	2,913	1,931	9,655
Total	..	72,825	12,338	209,047	143,527

(a) For particulars see Table 28.

30.—MANUFACTURING STATISTICS—VALUE OF
OUTPUT, LAND AND BUILDINGS, PLANT AND
MACHINERY, AUSTRALIA, 1934-35.

,000 OMITTED.

Class. (a)	Production per Em- ployee. (b)	Value of Output.	Value of Land and Buildings.	Value of Plant and Machinery.
	£	£	£	£
I. ..	497	6,692	2,409	5,280
II. ..	302	5,398	2,559	2,649
III. ..	608	21,447	6,130	5,639
IV. ..	288	85,650	26,719	24,976
V. ..	249	1,144	537	162
VI. ..	216	21,699	5,169	5,799
VII. ..	287	9,662	1,791	892
VIII. ..	167	28,839	9,571	2,181
IX. ..	459	119,546	27,949	29,208
X. ..	268	15,241	3,694	3,490
XI. ..	241	6,066	2,056	662
XII. ..	333	19,501	9,222	7,108
XIII. ..	329	6,079	1,849	1,640
XIV. ..	287	186	123	24
XV. ..	284	3,263	1,115	581
XVI. ..	1,097	14,499	9,948	32,350
Total	319	364,912	110,841	122,641

(a) For particulars see Table 28.

(b) Actual amount.

VALUE OF PRODUCTION.

Prior to 1933-34 the value of production was calculated on a gross basis for primary industries and on a net basis for factories, and consequently on account of the duplication involved the values shown could only be accepted as a rough index of the change from time to time. Arising out of a series of conferences held by Australian Statisticians it is now possible to exclude production and marketing costs and present the values on a net basis for all branches of production excepting Fisheries and Mines and Quarries. For these latter, it is not possible, as yet, to obtain production costs in all States and consequently the values shown are inflated to that extent. The figures given in the following table have been prepared by the State Statisticians, largely from collected data. Where this has not been possible careful estimates have been made from the best available sources. Particulars of certain minor costs are not available for all States but these are not sufficiently important to impair the value of the table.

31.—NET VALUE OF RECORDED PRODUCTION (WITHOUT DEDUCTION FOR MAINTENANCE AND DEPRECIATION), AUSTRALIA—1934-35.

£ MILLIONS.

Industry.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Total.
Agriculture	12.8	8.7	9.0	6.4	4.3	1.9	43.1
Pastoral	23.3	13.3	11.0	3.2	3.9	1.0	55.7
Dairying	8.9	7.5	5.8	1.1	0.6	0.5	24.4
Poultry and Bees ..	1.9	2.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	5.5
Total	46.9	31.8	26.1	11.1	9.1	3.7	128.7
Trapping	1.0	0.5	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.2	1.8
Forestry	1.9	0.7	2.0	0.5	1.0	0.4	6.5
Fisheries (a)	0.5	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.1	1.3
Mines and Quarries (a) ..	7.3	1.4	2.6	1.9	6.0	0.7	19.9
Total All Primary ..	57.6	34.5	31.0	13.7	16.3	5.1	158.2
Factories	61.4	48.5	14.6	9.5	6.3	3.2	143.5
Total All Industries ..	119.0	83.0	45.6	23.2	22.6	8.3	301.7

(a) Local value.

32.—NET VALUE OF RECORDED PRODUCTION PER HEAD OF MEAN POPULATION, AUSTRALIA—1934-35.

Industry.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Agriculture	4.9	4.8	9.4	10.9	9.6	8.5	6.5
Pastoral	8.8	7.2	11.4	5.4	8.8	4.6	8.3
Dairying	3.4	4.1	6.0	1.9	1.4	1.9	3.6
Poultry and Bees ..	0.7	1.2	0.3	0.7	0.8	1.4	0.8
Total	17.8	17.3	27.1	18.9	20.6	16.4	19.2
Trapping	0.4	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.9	0.3
Forestry	0.7	0.3	2.1	0.9	2.3	1.4	1.0
Fisheries (a)	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2
Mines and Quarries (a) ..	2.8	0.8	2.7	3.2	13.5	3.3	3.0
Total All Primary ..	21.9	18.8	32.3	23.4	36.9	22.3	23.7
Factories	23.3	26.4	15.2	16.3	14.2	13.7	21.4
Total All Industries ..	45.2	45.2	47.5	39.7	51.1	36.0	45.1

(a) Local value.

33.—STERLING VALUE OF EXTERNAL TRADE. 000 OMITTED.

Year.	Imports.	Exports.	Total Trade.	Ships' Stores.(a)
	£	£	£	£
1926-27	164,717	144,084	308,801	2,781
1927-28	147,945	141,206	289,151	2,601
1928-29	143,648	141,633	285,281	2,316
1929-30	131,081	125,127	256,208	2,047
1930-31	60,960	(c)89,326	150,286	1,653
1931-32	44,713	(c)85,348	130,061	1,560
1932-33	58,014	(c)96,597	154,611	1,622
1933-34	60,713	(c)98,573	159,286	1,621
1934-35	74,119	(c)90,225	164,344	1,713
1935-36b	85,313	(c)107,834	193,147	..

(a) Australian currency value, and not included with exports. (b) Preliminary figures. (c) Australian currency values, 1930-31, £104,855,852; 1931-32, £108,404,318; 1932-33, £120,943,317; 1933-34, £123,441,299; 1934-35, £112,986,037; and 1935-36, £135,037,591.

34.—STERLING VALUE OF EXTERNAL TRADE PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

Year.	Imports.			Exports.			Total Trade.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1926-27	26	18	1	23	10	8	50	8	9
1927-28	23	13	7	22	12	1	46	5	8
1928-29	22	12	3	22	5	10	44	18	1
1929-30	20	7	7	19	9	0	39	16	7
1930-31	9	7	7	(b)13	14	11	23	2	6
1931-32	6	16	6	(b)13	0	5	19	16	11
1932-33	8	15	8	(b)14	12	6	23	8	2
1933-34	9	2	6	(b)14	16	2	23	18	8
1934-35	11	1	2	(b)13	9	3	24	10	5
1935-36a	12	12	8	(b)15	19	4	28	12	0

(a) Preliminary figures. (b) Australian currency values, 1930-31, £16 2s. 9d.; 1931-32, £16 10s. 10d.; 1932-33, £18 6s. 3d.; 1933-34, £18 11s.; 1934-35, £16 17s. 2d.; and 1935-36. £19 19s. 2d.

35.—ORIGIN OF IMPORTS—AUSTRALIA.
(Excluding Gold Bullion and Specie.)
BRITISH CURRENCY VALUES.

Country of Origin.	1933-34.		1934-35.	
	Value.	%	Value.	%
	£ Stg.		£ Stg.	
U. Kingdom ..	25,143,101	43.35	30,788,269	43.62
Canada ..	2,918,095	5.03	4,091,796	5.80
Ceylon ..	718,563	1.24	795,307	1.13
India ..	2,926,181	5.05	2,541,377	3.60
Malaya (Brit.)	327,235	0.56	561,845	0.80
New Zealand	1,198,645	2.07	1,294,181	1.83
Pacific Islands	696,073	1.20	842,910	1.19
Union of Sth. Africa ..	133,441	0.23	177,063	0.25
Other British	546,692	0.94	512,224	0.72
Total British	34,608,026	59.67	41,604,972	58.94
Belgium ..	368,219	0.63	477,864	0.68
China ..	285,514	0.49	364,127	0.52
France ..	956,335	1.65	862,147	1.22
Germany ..	1,920,676	3.32	2,145,315	3.04
Italy ..	588,260	1.01	557,438	0.79
Japan ..	3,676,737	6.34	4,624,740	6.55
Netherlands ..	389,669	0.67	504,573	0.72
Netherlands East Indies	3,960,233	6.83	4,390,327	6.22
Norway ..	340,325	0.59	382,671	0.54
Sweden ..	782,780	1.35	828,283	1.17
Switzerland ..	451,030	0.7	462,023	0.66
United States	7,838,982	13.52	11,041,365	15.64
Other Foreign	1,828,503	3.15	2,336,558	3.31
Total Foreign	23,387,263	40.33	28,977,431	41.06
Total Imports	57,995,289	100	70,582,403	100
	(a)		(a)	

(a) The values exclude outside packages, 1933-34, 1,506,932; and 1934-35, £1,857,507.

36.—DESTINATION OF EXPORTS—AUSTRALIA.

(Excluding Gold Bullion and Specie.)

AUSTRALIAN CURRENCY VALUES.

Country of Destination.	1933-34.		1934-35.	
	Value.	%	Value.	%
	£A.		£A.	
U. Kingdom ..	54,402,862	47.78	53,760,437	52.11
Canada ..	1,267,170	1.13	1,444,063	1.40
Ceylon ..	421,499	0.37	648,187	0.63
Fiji ..	320,707	0.28	361,132	0.35
Hong Kong ..	506,696	0.44	715,994	0.69
India ..	610,159	0.53	785,815	0.76
Malaya (Brit.)	1,015,315	0.89	1,315,822	1.27
New Zealand	3,031,026	2.66	3,617,339	3.51
Papua ..	129,500	0.11	151,865	0.15
Union of Sth. Africa ..	247,278	0.22	316,381	0.31
Other British	1,831,547	1.61	1,690,861	1.64
Total British	63,783,759	56.02	64,807,896	62.82
Belgium ..	7,470,984	6.56	6,080,381	5.89
China ..	914,806	0.80	2,472,262	2.40
Egypt ..	370,234	0.33	639,654	0.62
France ..	6,517,380	5.72	4,731,952	4.59
Germany ..	9,439,054	8.29	1,738,481	1.69
Italy ..	4,600,423	4.04	995,827	0.97
Japan ..	13,906,256	12.21	12,095,514	11.72
Netherlands ..	455,328	0.40	927,723	0.90
Netherlands East Indies	1,149,167	1.01	1,182,329	1.15
Pacific Islands	285,637	0.25	346,377	0.33
Philippine Is.	348,177	0.31	324,053	0.31
United States	2,491,601	2.18	2,754,228	2.67
Other Foreign	2,135,331	1.88	4,072,762	3.94
Total Foreign	50,084,378	43.98	38,361,543	37.18
Total Exports	113,868,137	100	103,169,439	100

37.—IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES— AUSTRALIA.

(BRITISH CURRENCY VALUES.)

Article.	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36. (a)
	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.
Tea	2,174,035	2,084,489	2,078,332
Tobacco, and preparations thereof ..	718,282	1,342,796	1,614,236
Whisky ..	429,017	483,454	553,551
Copra ..	67,164	135,577	204,071
Gloves ..	288,558	327,524	369,424
Trimmings and ornaments ..	255,477	313,155	335,961
Piece Goods—			
Canvas and duck	390,052	511,875	507,249
Cotton and linen	4,541,307	5,095,469	4,383,664
Silk or contain- ing silk ..	2,543,386	2,914,976	2,717,184
Woollen or con- taining wool ..	178,484	254,033	271,275
Sewing silks, cot- tons, etc. ..	479,119	532,768	526,740
Carpets and car- peting ..	703,087	983,253	1,085,153
Floorcloths and linoleums ..	291,890	352,073	479,376
Bags and sacks	2,202,038	1,464,436	1,677,381
Yarns—			
Artificial Silk ..	548,356	691,952	605,362
Cotton ..	479,400	548,565	435,449
Woollen ..	35,162	39,070	80,537
Petroleum spirit, benzine, etc. ..	3,340,990	3,167,255	4,332,363
Kerosene ..	394,251	419,651	467,632
Electrical ma- chinery and appliances ..	1,167,701	1,847,241	2,458,108

(a) Preliminary figures.

37.—IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES— AUSTRALIA—*continued.*

Article.	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36. (a)
	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.
Electrical materials, cable and wire, covered	454,214	645,955	903,722
Agricultural machinery ..	95,306	124,026	155,927
Tools of trade	585,142	751,207	875,636
Plated Ware and Cutlery	315,408	389,385	483,496
Chassis & Bodies for motor cars, and parts ..	3,009,424	4,488,941	6,349,441
Iron and Steel—Plate & sheet	1,421,521	2,041,464	2,529,346
Pipes & tubes	460,396	526,981	388,978
Rubber and manufactures	663,530	896,692	1,048,803
Timber, dressed and undressed	1,175,641	1,555,782	1,614,885
Crockery & other household ware	382,395	492,852	529,797
Glass and glass-ware ..	476,917	638,441	814,715
Paper, printing	1,726,627	1,837,220	2,031,637
Stationery, books, etc.	1,369,976	1,609,087	1,789,685
Drugs, chemicals, etc. ..	3,384,857	3,537,218	4,382,849
Musical instruments, pianos, etc. ..	55,461	77,289	111,440
All other articles	b23,908,355	b30,997,344	b36,119,650
Total Imports	60,712,926	74,119,496	85,313,055

(a) Preliminary figures. (b) Including Outside Packages, 1933-34, £1,506,932; 1934-35, £1,857,507 and 1935-36, £2,127,785.

38.—EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE. (Australian Currency Values.)

Article.	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36.(b)
Butter .. cntl.	2,442,997	2,625,189	2,126,462
£	8,194,220	9,586,776	9,027,843
Cheese .. cntl.	93,137	168,294	129,726
£	229,313	403,977	337,467
Meats .. £	7,094,371	8,846,110	8,751,678
Milk and Cream			
cntl.	197,719	165,496	169,610
£	739,000	710,166	722,301
Fruits, dried cntl.	1,454,867	1,277,788	1,114,956
£	2,650,773	2,165,241	1,987,164
Fruits, fresh cntl.	2,402,877	2,284,592	2,517,436
£	2,011,695	1,821,932	2,026,852
Fruits and Vegetables, preserved			
in liquid £	1,014,456	997,160	895,780
Wheat .. cntl.	36,959,117	45,575,814	46,195,876
£	8,873,987	11,612,368	14,018,909
Flour .. cntl.	10,849,839	13,959,412	12,341,663
£	3,266,718	4,607,383	4,519,908
Jams and Jellies			
cntl.	22,452	29,491	70,190
£	55,958	63,425	134,791
Sugar .. tons	307,979	306,441	299,855
£	2,296,015	2,194,887	2,175,237
Sandalwood tons	3,953	3,671	2,352
£	114,301	108,641	66,845
Tobacco cntl.	4,507	4,203	6,206
£	125,563	117,975	156,600
Hides and Skins£	4,384,584	3,501,612	5,650,389
Wool (a) .. cntl.	9,060,469	9,416,591	9,115,998
£	57,111,449	39,263,282	52,343,949

(a) In terms of Greasy Wool. (b) Preliminary figures.

38.—EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE—*continued.*

Article.	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36.(b)
Pearlshell tons	1,686	2,123	2,811
£	198,347	218,463	302,691
Tallow .. tons	24,387	41,357	22,512
£	494,940	927,740	661,465
Coal .. tons	292,416	305,139	307,541
£	269,296	273,305	276,553
Concentrates tons	140,902	110,616	218,425
£	816,439	759,296	1,130,167
Copper .. tons	5,272	3,180	4,235
£	231,185	141,484	183,057
Lead .. tons	184,511	184,001	194,160
£	2,421,161	2,416,695	3,837,381
Tin .. tons	1,240	1,105	801
£	329,410	302,271	200,807
Zinc—Bar, tons	32,347	27,433	42,314
Block, Dust £	617,736	494,285	905,133
Leather .. £	611,359	489,252	641,312
Timber, un- dressed, includ- ing Logs (a) sup. ft.	45,507,512	74,224,502	73,930,454
£	489,758	775,437	837,354
Soap .. cntl.	71,521	54,371	52,500
£	119,498	83,798	92,086
Gold .. £	8,159,695	8,153,758	10,187,222
Silver .. £	1,014,756	540,824	990,506
All other ar- ticles £	6,715,942	8,335,586	8,549,235
Total Exports— Australian Produce £	120,651,925	109,913,129	131,610,682

(a) Exclusive of undressed timber not measured in super. feet. (b) Preliminary figures.

89.—BUTTER (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)— EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australian Currency Value.	
	1934- 35.	1935- 36.(a)	1934- 35.	1935- 36.(a)
	1,000 cental.	1,000 cental.	£1,000.	£1,000.
United Kingdom	2,457	1,969	8,917	8,238
India and Ceylon	9	10	35	46
Hong Kong ..	8	9	32	46
Malaya (Brit.)	16	18	68	90
Mauritius ..	2	2	8	9
Pacific Is. (Brit.)	3	3	13	18
Other British Countries ..	3	2	12	12
Belgium ..	1	1	4	4
China ..	16	11	61	55
Egypt ..	19	16	70	76
Japan ..	1	..	2	1
Netherlands E. Indies ..	72	69	302	356
Pacific Islands	2	2	9	10
Panama ..	2	..	6	1
Philippine Is. ..	12	11	38	53
Siam ..	1	1	5	6
Other Foreign Countries ..	1	2	5	7
Total ..	2,625	2,126	9,587	9,028

(a) Preliminary figures.

40.—FLOUR (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)—EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australian Currency Value.	
	1934- 35.	1935- 36.(a)	1934- 35.	1935- 36.(a)
	1,000 cental.	1,000 cental.	£1,000.	£1,000.
United Kingdom	1,987	2,619	632	933
Ceylon ..	377	342	123	126
Cyprus ..	55	10	17	3
Hong Kong ..	1,012	888	340	324
Malaya (Brit.)	1,239	1,112	409	411
Malta ..	27	129	8	46
Mauritius ..	219	208	70	75
New Zealand ..	13	12	5	5
Pacific Is. (Brit.)	113	142	44	62
Sudan ..	160	243	49	85
Other British Countries ..	342	475	117	179
Africa, Portu- guese East..	124	145	40	54
Africa, Portu- guese West	96	57	31	21
China ..	670	19	233	7
Egypt ..	435	474	165	159
Japan ..	514	189	174	75
Manchuria (in- cluding Kwan- tung Peninsula)	3,660	2,321	1,205	843
Netherlands E. Indies ..	1,643	1,642	550	616
Pacific Islands (Foreign) ..	137	155	51	64
Philippine Is. ..	549	810	193	308
Slam ..	133	189	43	68
Other Foreign Countries ..	454	226	108	82
Total ..	13,959	12,407	4,607	4,546

(a) Preliminary figures.

41.—WHEAT (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)— EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australian. Currency Value.	
	1934— 35.	1935— 36. (a)	1934— 35.	1935— 36. (a)
United Kingdom	1,000 cental. 24,719	1,000 cental. 20,834	£1,000 6,362	£1,000 6,364
"for orders" ..	..	1,521	..	487
India ..	101	292	25	86
Irish Free State	1,574	1,787	432	551
Union of South Africa ..	13	196	5	64
Other British Countries ..	263	767	70	242
Africa, French W., for orders	..	453	..	110
Belgium ..	152	454	36	142
Canary Islands for orders ..	..	1,707	..	540
China ..	8,198	3,032	2,080	869
Egypt ..	963	..	260	..
Italy ..	11	..	3	..
Japan ..	9,318	6,626	2,274	1,924
Netherlands ..	5	..	1	..
Soviet Union (Russia) ..	193	..	47	..
Other Foreign Countries ..	66	1,627	17	525
For orders ..	..	6,990	..	2,115
Total ..	45,576	46,196	11,612	14,019

(a) Preliminary figures.

42.—WOOL, GREASY (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)— EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australlian Currency Value.	
	1934- 35.	1935- 36.(a)	1934- 35.	1935- 36.(a)
	1,000 cental.	1,000 cental.	£1,000.	£1,000.
United Kingdom	2,927	2,443	13,529	15,771
India ..	9	16	42	85
Belgium ..	1,242	1,025	4,685	5,298
Czechoslovakia	20	85	97	572
France ..	758	647	2,845	3,470
Germany ..	272	271	1,275	1,691
Italy ..	177	45	738	252
Japan ..	1,961	2,342	8,614	14,441
Netherlands ..	165	153	764	997
Poland ..	120	127	522	769
Spain ..	59	15	291	109
Sweden ..	25	17	125	124
U.S. of America	54	247	342	2,037
Other Countries	69	78	343	553
Total ..	7,858	7,511	34,212	46,169

(a) Preliminary figures.

43.—WOOL, SCOURED AND WASHED (INCLUDING TOPS, NOILS, WASTE), (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)—EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australian Currency Value.	
	1934- 35.	1935- 36.(a)	1934- 35.	1935- 36.(a)
	1,000 cental.	1,000 cental.	£1,000.	£1,000.
United Kingdom	366	334	2,476	2,594
Canada ..	33	42	301	427
Hong Kong ..	1	1	4	7
India and Ceylon	8	9	43	61
New Zealand ..	..	1	3	4
Belgium ..	107	108	749	887
France ..	98	108	713	943
Germany ..	29	39	237	357
Italy ..	11	2	70	22
Japan ..	10	21	66	152
Poland ..	12	20	94	200
Netherlands ..	9	7	62	60
Sweden ..	7	8	41	58
U.S. of America	1	7	10	59
Other Countries	27	30	182	305
Total ..	719	737	5,051	6,136

(a) Preliminary figures.

44.—BEEF, CHILLED AND FROZEN (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)—EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australian Currency Value.	
	1934- 35.	1935- 36.(a)	1934- 35.	1935- 36.(a)
	1,000 cental.	1,000 cental.	£1,000	£1,000.
United Kingdom	1,937	1,714	2,319	2,117
Ceylon ..	5	8	11	20
Gibraltar ..	8	20	9	28
Hong Kong ..	15	12	19	19
Malaya (British)	20	20	29	32
Malta ..	25	33	32	49
Pacific Islands	5	4	10	11
Other British Countries ..	2	1	4	1
Belgium ..	9	4	10	4
China ..	3	2	4	3
Egypt ..	47	98	61	137
Japan ..	30	36	28	33
Netherlands E. Indies ..	1	..	2	1
Philippine Is...	14	12	19	19
Other Foreign Countries ..	..	4	3	7
Total ..	2,121	1,968	2,560	2,481

(a) Preliminary figures.

45.—MUTTON AND LAMB, FROZEN (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)—EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australian Currency Value.	
	1934- 35.	1935- 36.(a)	1934- 35.	1935- 36.(a)
	1,000 cental.	1,000 cental.	£1,000.	£1,000.
United Kingdom	1,924	1,739	4,390	4,371
Ceylon ..	4	5	13	13
Gibraltar ..	2	3	3	5
Hong Kong ..	4	4	10	11
Malaya (British)	10	12	25	29
Malta ..	5	5	8	8
Pacific Islands (British) ..	3	3	6	7
Other British Countries ..	1	1	1	2
Egypt ..	5	4	10	8
France ..	1	..	1	..
Japan ..	..	..	1	1
Panama ..	..	2	2	4
Philippine Is. ..	2	2	5	6
Other Foreign Countries ..	1	..	1	1
Total ..	1,962	1,780	4,476	4,466

(a) Preliminary figures.

46.—OVERSEA TRADE—STATES, ETC.

States, etc.	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36.(a)
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IMPORTS (British Currency).

	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.
N.S.W. ..	25,760,333	32,652,791	36,290,468
Victoria ..	22,404,232	26,345,073	30,611,267
Queensland	4,647,838	6,297,499	6,905,777
S.A. ..	3,679,412	3,965,670	5,418,722
W.A. ..	3,555,561	4,081,152	5,077,904
Tasmania ..	637,230	737,441	997,310
N. Territory	28,320	39,870	11,607
Total ..	60,712,926	74,119,496	85,313,055

EXPORTS (Australian Currency).

	£ A.	£ A.	£ A.
N.S.W. ..	42,242,005	37,729,232	46,853,424
Victoria ..	30,519,726	28,119,827	34,718,922
Queensland	19,617,628	18,302,879	18,654,953
S.A. ..	12,685,986	11,836,042	15,344,431
W.A. ..	15,556,855	15,001,121	16,479,831
Tasmania ..	2,812,796	1,969,525	2,943,827
N. Territory	6,303	27,411	42,203
Total ..	123,441,299	112,986,037	135,037,591
	(b)	(b)	(b)

(a) Preliminary figures. (b) Estimated British currency values, 1933-34, £ Stg. 98,572,632 : 1934-35, £ Stg. 90,225,168 ; 1935-36, £ Stg. 107,833,613.

**47.—VALUE OF AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION AND
EXPORTS ACCORDING TO INDUSTRY—
TEN YEARS, 1925-26 TO 1934-35.**

Industrial Group.	Value of Production during Ten Years.	Percentage on Total Production.	Value of Exports during Ten Years.	Percentage on Total Exports.	Percentage Exported of the Production in each Industrial Group.
	£1,000.	%	£1,000.	%	%
Agriculture	798,309	20.88	285,431	24.50	35.75
Pastoral	916,422	23.97	618,508	53.09	67.49
Dairy and Farmyard	454,870	11.90	96,946	8.32	21.31
Mining	190,778	4.99	107,513	9.23	56.86
Forestry and Fisheries	105,690	2.76	14,611	1.26	13.82
Total Primary Produce	(a) 2,466,069	64.50	1,123,009	96.40	45.54
Manufacturing	1,357,058	35.50	41,927	3.60	3.08
Total	3,823,127	100.00	1,164,936	100.00	30.47

(a) Gross values.

48.—SHIPPING—AUSTRALIA.

Particulars.	1933-34.		1934-35.	
	Vessels.	Net Tonnage.	Vessels.	Net Tonnage.
Oversea Vessels—		,000.		,000.
Entered ..	1,380	5,353	1,582	5,994
Cleared ..	1,394	5,411	1,557	5,895
Total ..	2,774	10,764	3,139	11,889

49.—SHIPPING—TONNAGE OF CARGO.

YEAR 1934-35.

(>000 OMITTED.)

States, etc.	Oversea—		Inter-state—
	Dis-charged.	Shipped.	Shipped.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
New South Wales	1,771	1,818	2,767
Victoria ..	1,554	1,048	891
Queensland ..	371	590	384
South Australia ..	436	1,521	1,801
Western Australia	479	954	79
Tasmania ..	65	148	666
Northern Territory	16	..	2
Total 1934-35 ..	4,692	6,079	6,590
„ 1933-34 ..	4,001	4,999	5,480
„ 1932-33 ..	3,897	6,420	4,866
„ 1931-32 ..	2,967	6,678	4,010
„ 1930-31 ..	3,413	6,442	4,100

50.—SHIPPING—NATIONALITY OF OVERSEA VESSELS ENTERED, AUSTRALIA.

,000 OMITTED.

Nationality.	Net Tonnage.			
	1931- 32.	1932- 33.	1933- 34.	1934- 35.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons
Australian ..	231	265	289	310
United Kingdom	3,138	3,218	2,788	3,137
Canadian ..	42	54	79	76
New Zealand ..	261	291	336	322
South African ..	16	16	31	22
Other British ..	44	100	191	193
Total, British	3,732	3,944	3,714	4,060
Danish ..	46	107	76	49
Dutch ..	157	185	164	176
French ..	91	108	115	137
German ..	116	118	122	134
Italian ..	68	77	83	62
Japanese ..	689	546	333	462
Norwegian ..	395	394	336	427
Swedish ..	111	136	111	141
United States of America ..	205	246	248	241
Other Foreign ..	77	72	51	105
Total, Foreign	1,955	1,989	1,639	1,934
Grand Total ..	5,687	5,933	5,353	5,994

51.—GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.—MILEAGE OPEN AND COST.

Government.	Mileage.		Cost of Construction and Equipment.	
	1933-34.	1934-35.	1933-34.	1934-35.
	Miles.	Miles.	£,000.	£,000.
Federal ..	2,145	2,145	15,607	15,672
N.S. Wales	6,164	6,164	139,058	139,852
Victoria ..	4,721	4,721	75,226	75,454
Queensland	6,566	6,566	34,390	35,011
S. Australia	2,529	2,529	27,176	27,295
W. Australia	4,360	4,359	24,704	24,947
Tasmania ..	645	645	6,562	6,588
Total ..	27,130	27,129	327,094 <i>a</i>	329,183 <i>a</i>

(a) Includes £4,371,000 cost of Grafton-South Brisbane line to 1933-34 and £4,364,000 to 1934-35, not apportioned to States.

52.—GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS. — MILEAGE (ROUTE) ACCORDING TO GAUGE, 30th JUNE, 1935.

Government.	Gauge.				Total Mile- age, all Gauges.
	5' 3".	4' 8½".	3' 6".	2' 6" and under.	
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	
Federal ..	..	1,056.79	1,087.91	..	2,144.70
N.S.W. ..	..	6,124.32	39.51	..	6,163.83
Vic. ...	4,599.00	..	..	121.77	4,720.77
Q'land. ..	..	68.82	6,467.57	<i>a</i> 30.26	6,566.65
S.A. ...	1,451.24	..	1,078.11	..	2,529.35
W.A. ..	..	..	4,358.51	..	4,358.51
Tas. ...	..	..	633.56	<i>a</i> 11.33	644.89
Total	6,050.24	7,249.93	13,665.17	163.36	27,128.70

(a) 2' gauge.

53.—GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.—FINANCES.
1933-34.

Government.	Gross Rev- enue.	Working Ex- penses.	Net Rev- enue.	Interest Pay- able. (a)
	£,000.	£,000.	£,000.	£,000.
Federal ..	330	376	— 46	442
N.S. Wales	15,690	11,204	4,486	5,971
Victoria ..	9,175	6,241	2,934	3,182
Queensland	6,230	4,494	1,736	1,565
S. Australia	2,560	2,029	531	1,089
W. Australia	2,919	2,187	732	1,008
Tasmania ..	391	385	6	247
Total ..	37,295	26,916	10,379	613,607

1934-35.

Government.	Gross Rev- enue.	Working Ex- penses.	Net Rev- enue.	Interest Pay- able. (a)
	£,000.	£,000.	£,000.	£,000.
Federal ..	346	380	— 34	438
N.S. Wales	16,802	11,565	5,237	5,677
Victoria ..	9,421	6,506	2,915	3,057
Queensland	7,167	5,087	2,080	1,577
S. Australia	2,658	2,121	537	1,056
W. Australia	3,312	2,383	929	1,028
Tasmania ..	400	418	— 18	248
Total ..	40,106	28,460	11,646	13,184

(a) Excludes exchange.

(b) Includes part Grafton-South Brisbane line not apportioned to States.

Minus sign (—) denotes loss.

54.—GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS—FINANCES (PERCENTAGES).

Government.	1933-34.		1934-35.	
	Percentage of—		Percentage of—	
	Working Expenses on Gross Revenue.	Net Revenue on Capital Cost.	Working Expenses on Gross Revenue.	Net Revenue on Capital Cost.
	%	%	%	%
Federal ..	114.01	-0.30	109.83	-0.22
N.S. Wales	71.40	3.23	68.83	3.74
Victoria ..	68.03	3.90	69.06	3.86
Queensland	72.14	5.05	70.98	5.94
S. Australia	79.25	1.95	79.80	1.97
W. Australia	74.90	2.97	71.95	3.72
Tasmania ..	98.59	0.08	104.55	-0.28
Total ..	72.17	(a) 3.17	70.96	(a) 3.54

(a) Includes Grafton-South Brisbane line.

Minus sign (—) denotes loss.

55.—GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.—TRAFFIC, 1934-35.

,000 OMITTED.

Government.	Traffic Train Miles.	Passenger Journeys.	Tonnage of Goods and Live Stock Carried.
Federal	536	98	87
New South Wales ..	26,276	160,212	13,019
Victoria	15,536	139,689	6,010
Queensland	12,959	24,328	4,879
South Australia ..	5,080	16,660	2,333
Western Australia ..	5,868	12,876	2,903
Tasmania	1,230	2,134	678
Total	67,485	355,997	29,909

56.—PRIVATE RAILWAYS USED FOR GENERAL
TRAFFIC—MILEAGE (ROUTE) ACCORDING
TO GAUGE, 30th JUNE, 1935.

State.	Gauge.				Total Mile- age—all Gauges.
	5 3".	4' 8½".	3' 6"	3' 0" and under.	
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
N.S.W. ..	..	45.97	36.73	..	82.70
Victoria ..	13.94	..	..	11.00	24.94
Q'land. ..	..	..	99.50	170.39	269.89
S.A. ..	..	..	50.51	..	50.51
W.A. ..	..	..	277.00	..	277.00
Tasmania	..	..	125.07	6.50	131.57
Total, Aus- tralia ..	13.94	45.97	588.81	187.89	836.61

**57.—TRAMWAYS—MILEAGE OPEN AND MOTIVE
POWER, 30th JUNE, 1935.**

State.	Elec- tric.	Steam.	Cable.	Horse.	Total.
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
N.S.W.	182.14	9.06	..	..	191.20
Vic. ..	154.11	..	24.29	..	178.40
Q'land ..	57.53	6.65	..	..	64.18
S.A. ..	82.83	..	..	..	82.83
W.A. ..	65.44	6.10	..	2.51	74.05
Tas. ..	28.41	..	..	..	28.41
Total ..	570.46	21.81	24.29	2.51	619.07

**58.—TRAMWAYS—MILEAGE OPEN AND CON-
TROLLING AUTHORITY, 30th JUNE, 1935.**

State.	Govern- ment.	Muni- cipal.	Private.	Total.
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
N.S.W. ..	187.70	..	3.50	191.20
Vic. ..	178.40	..	..	178.40
Q'land ..	..	64.18	..	64.18
S.A. ..	..	82.83	..	82.83
W.A. ..	52.51	9.98	11.56	74.05
Tas. ..	..	28.41	..	28.41
Total ..	418.61	185.40	15.06	619.07

59.—TRAMWAYS—MILEAGE OPEN AND GAUGE, 30th JUNE, 1935.

State.	Gauge.			Total Mileage—all Gauges.
	5' 3".	4' 8½".	3' 6".	
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
N.S.W. ..	..	191.20	..	191.20
Vic. ..	5.18	173.22	..	178.40
Q'land. ..	..	57.53	6.65	64.18
S.A. ..	..	82.83	..	82.83
W.A. ..	..	..	74.05	74.05
Tas. ..	..	..	28.41	28.41
Total ..	5.18	504.78	109.11	619.07

60.—TRAMWAYS—CONTROLLING AUTHORITY AND CAPITAL COST, 30th JUNE, 1935.

State.	Government.	Municipal.	Private.	Total.
	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.
N.S.W. ..	8,917	..	(a) 20	8,937
Vic. ..	8,445	..	..	8,445
Q'land. ..	..	2,161	..	2,161
S.A. ..	..	4,077	..	4,077
W.A. ..	1,178	176	458	1,812
Tas. ..	..	636	..	636
Total ..	18,540	7,050	478	26,068

(a) Estimated.

61.—TRAMWAYS, ELECTRIC.—SUMMARY.

,000 OMITTED.

State.	Capital Cost.	Gross Re- venue.	Work- ing Ex- penses.	Car Miles Run.	Passen- gers Carried.
	£	£	£	Miles.	No.

YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1934.

N.S.W. ..	8,234	3,005	2,350	36,085	294,327
Vic. ..	7,278	1,681	988	18,738	139,379
Q'land. ..	2,062	689	489	6,444	69,976
S.A. ..	4,072	(a) 628	(a) 388	(a) 7,382	a47,021
W.A. ..	1,746	352	295	4,300	36,589
Tas. ..	634	165	124	1,909	14,942
Total	24,026	6,520	4,634	74,858	602,234

YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 1935.

N.S.W. ..	8,791	3,299	2,690	35,703	305,147
Vic. ..	7,189	1,741	1,015	19,075	144,548
Q'land. ..	2,108	735	531	6,714	77,053
S.A. ..	4,077	(a) 639	(a) 402	(a) 7,448	a48,118
W.A. ..	1,739	357	290	4,353	37,101
Tas. ..	635	165	122	1,910	14,934
Total ..	24,539	6,936	5,050	75,203	626,901

(a) Includes motor omnibuses. Separate particulars not available.

62.—CIVIL AIRCRAFT—SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA.

Particulars.	1933-34.	1934-35.
Registered aircraft owners (a) .. No.	114	123
Registered aircraft (a) .. No.	188	208
Licensed pilots—		
Private (a) .. No.	429	569
Commercial (a) .. No.	201	210
Flights carried out .. No.	89,894	114,886
Hours flown .. No.	35,487	44,507
Approximate mileage Miles	3,061,449	3,713,718
Passengers carried—		
Paying No.	54,119	45,491
Non-paying .. No.	10,117	11,743
Total .. No.	64,236	57,234
Goods, Weight carried (b) lb.	296,983	248,396
Mails, Letters carried .. lb.	43,627	43,080
Accidents—		
Persons killed .. No.	10	28
" injured .. No.	12	10

(a) At 30th June. (b) Including stage freight in some instances in South Australia and Western Australia.

63.—MOTOR VEHICLES—SUMMARY.

States, etc.	Motor Vehicles Registered.			Drivers* and Riders' Licences Issued.	Gross Re- venue. £
	Cars, Trucks, &c.	Cycles.	Total.		

YEAR 1933-34.

N.S.W.	205,171	22,571	227,742	320,801	1,776,238
Vic. ..	164,008	24,248	188,256	245,847	1,280,878
Q'land ..	85,333	7,502	92,835	a115,935	598,156
S.A. ..	57,645	8,584	66,229	96,916	536,174
W.A. ..	42,698	6,284	48,982	60,472	292,768
Tas. ...	14,722	3,785	18,507	21,534	110,457
Nor. Terr.	636	42	678	673	504
Fed. Cap. Terrty.	1,327	88	1,415	1,804	7,921
Total	571,540	73,104	644,644	863,982	4,603,096

YEAR 1934-35.

N.S.W.	220,538	22,777	243,315	341,255	1,952,085
Vic. ..	177,970	24,968	202,938	260,288	1,403,134
Q'land ..	93,246	7,807	101,053	a125,550	646,778
S.A. ..	57,265	8,903	66,168	93,258	573,851
W.A. ..	46,620	6,597	53,217	63,539	318,796
Tas. ...	15,910	3,881	19,791	23,475	119,531
Nor. Terr.	485	31	516	773	697
Fed. Cap. Terrty.	1,371	81	1,452	2,080	8,942
Total ..	613,405	75,045	688,450	910,218	5,023,814

a) Certificates of competency.

64.—POSTS—SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA.

Heading.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.
Post Offices(a)	8,014	8,050	8,072
Staff (b) ..	39,035	40,726	42,155
Postal Branch—			
Revenue £	5,745,673	5,992,049	6,328,841
Working Expenses £	4,074,849	4,143,768	4,338,500
Interest payable £	199,139	163,673	162,062

(a) Excluding Telephone Offices at which telephone and telegraph business only is transacted. 1932-33 (1,816), 1933-34 and 1934-35 (1,813).

(b) Including mail contractors.

65.—POSTS—POSTAL MATTER, ETC., AUSTRALIA.

(,000 OMITTED.)

Heading.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.
Postal Matter dealt with—			
No. of { Letters, post-cards and packets ..	751,777	790,166	821,770
{ Newspapers ..	139,963	142,040	146,496
{ Parcels ..	9,044	8,942	8,876
{ Registered Articles(a) ..	6,711	6,870	7,273
Money Orders—			
Issued .. No.	2,707	2,769	2,859
Value .. £	14,257	14,646	15,185
Paid .. No.	2,691	2,762	2,847
Value .. £	14,229	14,589	15,169
Postal Notes—			
Issued .. No.	16,717	19,595	19,557
Value .. £	5,746	6,397	6,650

(a) Other than parcels.

66.—TELEGRAPHS, TELEPHONES AND WIRELESS— SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA.

Heading.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.
Telegraphs—			
No. of Offices ..	9,162	9,199	9,255
Length, Line, miles	109,185	105,697	107,271
" Wire, "	157,099	157,608	159,009
Telegrams Sent.No.a	12,778	13,394	14,618
Revenue £	1,178,272	1,229,972	1,330,712
Working Expenses £	1,085,502	1,112,878	1,157,271
Interest Payable £	194,353	158,106	158,422
Cables Received and Sent .. No.	1,219,079	1,265,258	1,310,603
Telephones—			
No. of Exchanges	6,071	6,087	6,117
No. of Connexions—			
Lines	363,776	372,621	396,025
Instruments ..	487,662	501,402	532,377
Revenue £	5,504,840	5,741,321	6,137,413
Working Expenses £	3,603,352	3,764,956	4,024,712
Interest Payable £	2,101,763	1,707,092	1,710,369
Wireless—			
Traffic—			
Coastal and Island, Paying Words	1,467,985	1,835,872	2,218,061
Beam, Total Words ..	11,089,425	12,896,115	13,461,087
Licences—			
Broadcasting..	(b) 60	(b) 65	(b) 70
Broadcast Listeners' ..	468,390	597,949	(c) 720,514
Experimental	1,045	1,169	1,319
Revenue ..£	192,480	269,640	371,604
Working Expenses £	153,199	170,711	193,507
Interest Payable..£	16,485	11,694	15,754

(a) ,000 omitted. (b) Including National Stations.
(c) Broadcast Listeners' Licences at 30th June, 1936, totalled 823,610.

67.—COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND.—RECEIPTS. (a)

,000 OMITTED.

Source of Revenue.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36
	£	£	£	£
Customs ..	21,314	22,327	25,290	28,069
Excise ..	11,679	11,928	12,580	13,369
Sales Tax ..	9,369	8,696	8,554	9,432
Land Tax ..	1,650	1,325	1,281	1,327
Income Tax	10,879	9,315	8,762	8,730
Probate and Succession Duties ..	1,127	1,511	1,508	1,518
Entertainments Tax	134	51	Dr. 1	..
War-time Profits Tax	Dr. 6	2	Dr. 18	21
Flour Tax ..	..	1,254	798	1,151
Total Taxation ..	56,146	56,409	58,754	63,617
Posts, Telegraphs, &c.	12,594	13,129	13,945	14,839
Railways ..	301	332	334	384
Marine ..	205	194	213	219
Territories	203	235	250	314
Coinage ..	50	139	134	168
Net Profit on Note Issue	1,109	729	797	856
Other ..	2,905	2,775	2,942	1,806
Total ..	73,513	73,942	77,869	82,203
Per Head of Population	£11/2/8	£11/2/3	11/10/10	12/3/6

(a) Excluding interest received from States on account of States' Debts.

**68.—COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED
REVENUE FUND—DISBURSEMENTS.**
000 OMITTED.

Heading.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36.
Governor-Gen. Department	£ 25	£ 27	£ 28	£ 46
Parliament ..	346	357	487	390
Prime Min. ..	1,430	1,541	1,572	1,385
Treasury ..	2,257	2,415	2,616	2,313
Attorney-Gen.	197	207	223	240
Interior ..	971	987	1,014	1,268
Military ..	1,456	1,684	1,909	2,008
Navy ..	1,586	1,691	1,955	2,256
Air Services ..	475	490	599	653
Trade and Cus.	912	798	882	880
Health ..	175	184	191	269
Commerce ..	763	888	958	973
Railways ..	1,017	1,066	1,161	1,017
P'master-Gen.	11,703	11,423	12,016	12,488
Territories ..	789	762	780	836
Pensions, &c. ^a	11,092	11,266	12,091	13,134
New Works ..	874	1,444	1,053	3,220
War Expenditure ..	19,122	19,154	19,017	18,241
Payments to States (b) ..	12,526	13,212	13,782	14,574
Relief to Primary Producers	2,250	3,044	4,324	2,450
	69,966	72,640	d76,658	d78,641
Per Head of Population	£10/11/11	£10/18/4	£11/8/9	£11/13/0
Excess of Receipts (c) ..	3,547	1,302	711	3,563

(a) Invalid and Old-age Pensions and Maternity Allowances. (b) Including Federal Aid Road.
(c) Excess of receipts over ordinary expenditure appropriated for payment of Invalid and Old-age pensions in following year. (d) Excluding non-recurring grant to States and provision for Defence equipment made from accumulated excess receipts.

69.—COMMONWEALTH PUBLIC DEBT.—ALLOCATION, 30th JUNE, 1936.

Particulars.	Australia.	London.	New York.	Total.
	£'000. Aust.	£'000. Stg.	£'000. (d)	£'000. (b)
War	186,361	90,745	..	277,106
Works and other purposes ..	30,974	65,541	16,351	112,866
Total—Commonwealth Purposes	217,335	156,286	16,351	389,972
Per Head of Population ..	£32 1 5	£23 1 3	£2 8 3	£57 10 11
Debts on account of States ..	447,259	388,575	28,908	864,742
Per Head of Population (a) ..	£66 2 9	£57 9 3	£4 5 6	£127 17 6
Total Commonwealth Debt	664,594	544,861	45,259	1,254,714
Per head of Population ..	£98 1 4	£80 7 11	£6 13 7	£185 2 10

INTEREST PAYABLE.

	£'000. Aust.	£'000. Stg.	£'000. (d)	£'000. (c)
For Commonwealth Purposes	8,348	(e) 3,059	798	12,205
Debts on account of States ..	15,842	15,408	1,474	32,724
Total	24,190	18,467	2,272	44,929
Average Rate .. %	£3 12 10	£3 19 5	£5 0 5	£3 16 6

(a) Based on total population for the six States. (b) Total "face" or "book" value of debts leaving out of consideration currency changes since the loans were floated. (c) Nominal amount of interest payable, taking no account of exchange. (d) Payable in terms of dollars. For this table dollars have been arbitrarily converted at the rate of \$4.8665 to £1. (e) Excludes suspended interest, £3,920,000, on war debt due to British Government.

70.—SUMMARY OF COMMONWEALTH EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE AND FROM LOAN FUNDS.

,000 OMITTED.

Heading.	Year ended 30th June—			
	1933.	1934.	1935.	1936.
	£	£	£	£
Expenditure from Revenue—(a)				
Ordinary Services	50,844	53,486	57,641	60,400
War Services ..	19,122	19,154	19,017	18,241
Total ..	69,966	72,640	76,658	78,641
Expenditure from Loans—				
New Works, etc. ..	562	522	1,935	1,692
War Purposes ..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	562	522	1,935	1,692
Total Expenditure—				
Ordinary Services	51,406	54,008	59,576	62,092
War Services ..	19,122	19,154	19,017	18,241
Total Commonwealth Expenditure ..	70,528	73,162	78,593	80,333

(a) Excluding interest paid on debts of States (recoverable from States).

71.—COST OF WAR SERVICES TO 30th JUNE, 1936(b).

Year.	From Consolidated Revenue.			War Loan Expenditure.
	War and Repat. Services.	Interest and Sinking Fund.	Total.	
	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.
1914-15 to				
1919-20 ..	24,618	46,468	71,086	262,508
1920-21 ..	13,672	19,614	33,286	24,149
1921-22 ..	10,261	21,076	31,337	7,577
1922-23 ..	9,298	20,802	30,100	1,763
1923-24 ..	8,161	20,555	28,716	691
1924-25 ..	8,233	20,156	28,389	Cr. 32
1925-26 ..	8,474	20,539	29,013	Cr. 8
1926-27 ..	8,814	20,300	29,114	24
1927-28 ..	8,788	20,006	28,794	Cr. 24
1928-29 ..	9,027	20,772	29,799	Cr. 13
1929-30 ..	9,521	20,214	29,735	Cr. 3
1930-31 ..	10,469	18,672	29,141	Cr. 2
1931-32 ..	8,765	12,199	20,964	..
1932-33 ..	7,929	11,193	19,122	..
1933-34 ..	8,188	10,966	19,154	..
1934-35 ..	8,433	10,584	19,017	..
1935-36 ..	8,660	9,581	18,241	..
Discounts and flotation exes.	..	..	..	5,999
Indebtedness to U.K. Govt.(a)	..	..	..	43,398
War Gratuities	453	..	453	27,057
Total to 30.6.36	171,764	323,697	495,461	373,084

(a) Total amounts involved in Funding Arrangements Act was £92,480,157. Amount owing at 30th June, 1935, was £79,724,220. (b) Excluding War Service Homes expenditure from 1923-24.

72.—AVERAGE VALUE OF AUSTRALIAN NOTES HELD BY THE BANKS AND THE PUBLIC.(a)

Average during—	Held by Banks.	Held by Public.	Total.
	£	£	£
1931 ..	24,939,874	25,221,885	50,161,759
1932 ..	24,916,825	25,740,767	50,657,592
1933 ..	22,685,449	25,033,410	47,718,859
1934 ..	21,198,854	25,872,512	47,071,366
1935 ..	20,119,208	27,449,147	47,568,355
At 24.6.35..	20,202,000	26,848,107	47,050,107
At 29.6.36..	18,253,277	28,791,659	47,044,936

(a) Average of holdings on last Monday in each month.

73.—AUSTRALIAN NOTES ISSUED.

,000 OMITTED.

Denomination.	27th June, 1932.	26th June, 1933.	25th June, 1934.	24th June, 1935.	29th June, 1936.
	£	£	£	£	£
10s. ..	2,977	3,134	3,405	3,559	3,795
£1.. ..	14,437	14,618	15,564	16,625	17,528
£5.. ..	10,415	9,692	9,650	10,091	10,128
£10 ..	5,532	4,815	4,877	5,083	4,744
£20 ..	510	414	303	289	265
£50 ..	1,751	1,535	1,482	1,555	1,255
£100 ..	3,035	2,432	2,348	2,499	2,232
£1,000 ..	12,646	10,913	8,672	7,349	7,100
Held by—					
Banks ..	26,505	23,346	21,284	20,202	18,253
Public ..	24,798	24,207	25,017	26,848	28,792
Total Issue..	51,303	47,553	46,301	47,050	47,045
Reserve ..	10,500	11,507	15,507	15,994	15,999
Per cent. of Reserve on		(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)
Total Issue	20.47	24.20	33.49	33.99	34.01

(a) Includes portion of Reserve held in English sterling.

74. OLD-AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS— NUMBER AND PAYMENTS.

Year ended 30th June.	Pensioners.			Total Payments. (a)	Weekly Pen- sions.(b)
	Old-age.	In- valid.	Total.		
	No.	No.	No.	£	s. d.
1910	65,492	(c)	65,492	1,433,585	10 0
1911	75,502	7,451	82,953	1,847,440	10 0
1914	87,780	16,865	104,645	2,592,201	10 0
1915	90,892	20,417	111,309	2,718,939	10 0
1916	91,783	23,439	115,222	2,891,597	10 0
1917	93,672	26,781	120,453	3,554,135	12 6
1918	95,387	29,912	125,299	3,793,037	12 6
1919	95,969	31,999	127,968	3,936,626	12 6
1920	99,170	35,231	134,401	4,484,304	15 0
1921	102,415	37,981	140,396	5,150,241	15 0
1922	105,096	39,019	144,115	5,380,034	15 0
1923	107,389	40,064	147,453	5,424,016	15 0
1924	113,054	42,617	155,671	6,523,881	17 6
1925	117,516	44,840	162,356	6,992,905	17 6
1926	126,918	48,803	175,721	8,252,387	20 0
1927	133,234	52,399	185,633	9,144,589	20 0
1928	139,367	55,517	194,884	9,790,346	20 0
1929	145,393	59,148	204,541	10,124,239	20 0
1930	155,196	63,304	218,500	10,791,325	20 0
1931	172,177	68,343	240,520	11,710,953	20 0
1932	183,317	72,292	255,609	11,125,956	17 6
1933	176,425	72,742	249,167	10,771,061	17 6
1934	187,453	73,212	260,665	10,963,090	17 6
1935	197,126	76,852	273,978	11,762,030	17 6
1936	206,748	80,487	287,235	12,797,726	18 0

(a) Includes payments to pensioners in benevolent institutions and hospitals and pensioner inmates of these institutions.

(b) Maximum weekly pension payable.

(c) Payments to invalid pensioners commenced 15th December, 1910.

75.—COMMONWEALTH OLD-AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS—30th JUNE, 1936.

State.	Pensioners.			Total Pay-ments.
	Old-age.	Invalid.	Total.	
	No.	No.	No.	£
N.S.W. ..	78,252	37,597	115,849	5,132,722
Victoria ..	60,548	17,741	78,289	3,511,510
Q'land. ..	25,493	11,377	36,870	1,654,945
S.A. ..	19,914	6,220	26,134	1,148,652
W.A. ..	13,740	4,482	18,222	815,929
Tas. ..	8,801	3,070	11,871	533,968
Total ..	206,748	80,487	287,235	12,797,726

76.—WAR PENSIONS AT 30th JUNE, 1935.

Place of payment.	Number of Pensioners.			Total.
	Incapaci-tated Soldiers.	Depend-ants of Deceased Soldiers.	Depend-ants of Incapaci-tated Soldiers.	
N.S.W. ..	25,102	9,457	50,675	85,234
Victoria ..	25,455	9,174	54,938	89,567
Q'land. ..	8,234	2,794	17,217	28,245
S.A. ..	4,079	2,383	8,786	15,248
W.A. ..	7,031	2,334	15,071	24,436
Tas. ..	3,146	1,273	8,104	12,523
London ..	1,664	2,667	3,572	7,903
S. Africa ..	45	26	69	140
N. Zealand	224	163	329	716
Elsewhere..	18	5	26	49
Total ..	74,998	30,276	158,787	264,061
30.6.1934..	75,037	29,719	162,198	266,954

77.—EXPENDITURE ON AUSTRALIAN WAR PENSIONS.

State, &c.	1931-32.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.
	£	£	£	£
N.S.W.	2,552,380	2,382,007	2,427,115	2,534,888
Vic. ..	2,253,005	2,086,389	2,134,218	2,238,734
Q'land.	817,780	755,447	780,673	807,070
S.A. ..	453,728	421,491	427,365	445,820
W.A. ..	698,356	629,357	627,403	651,797
Tas. ..	339,738	320,586	335,304	361,967
Else- where	325,201	330,553	316,514	319,781
Total ..	7,440,188	6,925,830	7,048,592	7,360,057

78.—COMMONWEALTH MATERNITY ALLOW- ANCE (a)—CLAIMS PASSED FOR PAYMENT.

State.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.	1935-36.
	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
N.S.W. ..	31,699	29,960	30,354	30,463
Victoria ..	20,100	19,499	19,940	19,672
Q'land. ..	11,680	10,780	10,940	11,640
S.A. ..	7,048	6,783	6,409	6,613
W.A. ..	5,879	4,951	5,035	4,850
Tas. ..	3,880	3,788	3,725	3,689
N.T. ..	25	20	39	26
Total ..	80,311	75,781	76,442	76,953

(a) The Maternity Allowance Act came into force on the 10th October, 1912, and from that date until 30th June, 1935, 2,800,419 claims were passed for payment. (b) In July, 1931, the allowance was reduced to £4, and paid only where the combined income of husband and wife did not exceed £260 for the previous 12 months. (£208 from 12th Oct., 1932.) In August, 1934, under certain conditions, the maximum allowance payable was raised to £5, and the income limit to £299.

79.—COMMONWEALTH LAND TAX.

Heading.		Assessment Year.		
		1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.
No. of Tax-payers	Resident ..	21,834	20,893	20,858
	Absentee ..	2,423	2,424	2,511
	Total ..	24,257	23,317	23,369
,000 OMITTED.				
Unimproved Land Values (b)	Resident £	236,953	216,348	217,335
	Absentee £	1,913	1,794	2,047
	Total £	238,866	218,142	219,382
Tax assessed	Resident £	1,516	1,107	1,121
	Absentee £	13	10	11
	Total £	1,529	1,117	1,132
Area of rural land assessed ; (a) acres		59,083	59,440	58,173
Assessed tax on rural land per acre (a) ..		1.709d.	1.275d.	1.314d.

(a) Exclusive of Crown leaseholds.
returned by taxpayer.

(b) As

**80.—COMMONWEALTH INCOME TAX—
1934-35.(a)**

Income.	No. of Tax- payers.	Tax Assessed.	Amount per Taxpayer.	Per- centage of Total Tax As- sessed.
	No.	£	£ s. d.	%
Individuals—				
Under £201	139,482	194,995	1 8 0	2.7
£201 to £500 ..	49,510	362,423	7 6 5	5.0
£501 to £1,000	25,284	626,362	24 15 6	8.6
£1,001 and over ..	17,796	3,647,249	204 18 11	50.0
Total Indivi- duals ..	232,072	4,831,029	20 16 4	66.3
Companies	2,640	2,440,959	319 9 11	33.5
Casuals ..	1,393	17,515	12 11 6	0.2
Total ..	—	7,289,503	—	100.0

(a) Assessed on income for year 1933-34.

81.—STATE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUNDS.

RECEIPTS.
,000 OMITTED.

State.	1930- 31.	1931- 32.	1932- 33.	1933- 34.	1934- 35.
	£	£	£	£	£
N.S.W.(a)	45,857	45,608	49,329	45,509	46,565
Vic.(a)	25,575	24,555	24,706	24,568	25,766
Q'land.	15,073	12,994	13,397	13,859	15,280
S.A. ..	10,726	10,482	10,161	10,188	11,002
W.A. ..	8,687	8,035	8,332	8,482	9,331
Tas. ..	2,609	2,386	2,522	2,698	2,872
Total ..	108,527	104,060	108,447	105,304	110,816
Per head of Popu- lation ..	£16 14 9	£15 18 3	£16 9 8	£15 17 2	£16 11 5

EXPENDITURE.
,000 OMITTED.

State.	1930- 31.	1931- 32.	1932- 33.	1933- 34.	1934- 35.
	£	£	£	£	£
N.S.W.(a) <i>b</i>	54,609	59,835	52,960	48,925	48,864
Vic. (a)	28,030	26,164	25,548	25,337	25,917
Q'land.	15,915	15,069	14,951	14,988	15,845
S.A. ..	12,540	11,545	11,170	11,032	10,965
W.A. ..	10,107	9,593	9,196	9,271	9,499
Tas. ..	2,854	2,657	2,577	2,746	2,991
Total ..	124,055	124,863	116,402	112,290	114,081
Per head of Popu- lation ..	£19 2 8	£19 1 11	17 13 10	£16 18 2	£17 1 2

(a) Including certain Revenue and Expenditure not brought into the Consolidated Fund, such as Railways, Tramways, Sydney Harbour Trust and Motor Taxation in New South Wales, and Motor Taxation in Victoria. (b) Excluding interest paid by Commonwealth on behalf of New South Wales, which is included in New South Wales expenditure for 1931-32.

82.—STATE NET LOAN EXPENDITURE. (a)

State.	1932-33.	1933-34.	1934-35.	Aggregate to 30th June, 1935.
	£	£	£	£1,000
N.S.W.	4,319,766	7,003,812	9,724,462	302,380
Vic. ..	2,094,271	2,190,550	1,786,860	194,021
Q'ld. ..	672,474	1,717,182	3,169,072	110,033
S.A. ..	901,473	947,785	959,479	103,345
W.A. ..	2,048,224	2,563,087	2,633,678	87,318
Tas. ..	Cr.74,907	118,783	361,495	26,703
Total	9,961,301	14,541,199	18,635,046	823,800

(a) Excludes Revenue Deficits, etc.

83.—STATE NET LOAN EXPENDITURE— TOTAL TO 30th JUNE, 1935.

Heads of Expenditure.	Amount.	
Public Works—	£	
Railways and Tramways ..	361,150,078	
Roads, Bridges, Harbours, Rivers and Lights	84,029,333	
Water Supply and Sewerage ..	96,071,110	
Electricity Supply	24,506,537	
Public Buildings	31,209,864	
Loans to Local Bodies ..	}	34,125,321
Unemployment Relief ..		
Commonwealth Services ..	6,525,962	
Other Public Works	18,265,984	
Primary Production—		
Land Settlement, Soldier Settle- ment and Advances to settlers	95,021,064	
Water Conservation, Irrigation and Drainage	25,611,962	
Agricultural Bank	9,631,588	
Mines and Mineral resources ..	5,746,838	
Other Primary Production ..	16,287,756	
Other Purposes	15,616,696	
Total Works	823,800,093	
Non-Works—		
Discounts and Flotation expenses and Exchange	24,700,438	
Revenue and cash deficits ..	61,110,378	
Other	4,905,388	
GRAND TOTAL	914,516,297	

84.—TAXATION—COMMONWEALTH AND STATE.

Year ended 30th June.	Taxation by Commonwealth Government.		Taxation by State Governments.	Total Taxation.
	Customs and Excise.	Other.		
AMOUNT.				
	£	£	£	£
1925	37,192,781	15,642,909	22,991,314	75,827,004
1926	39,198,878	15,174,127	25,595,849	79,968,854
1927	43,552,478	15,442,331	29,551,078	88,545,887
1928	41,446,730	15,191,128	32,302,607	88,940,465
1929	41,058,571	15,244,918	32,593,850	88,897,339
1930	41,774,391	16,413,384	33,896,926	92,084,701
1931	28,295,073	a22,125,033	35,833,562	86,253,668
1932	28,405,796	a25,553,246	32,748,528	86,707,570
1933	32,992,443	a23,153,593	37,325,609	93,471,645
1934	34,254,842	b22,153,886	34,401,001	90,809,729
1935	37,869,486	b20,885,038	36,434,720	95,189,244
1936	41,437,717	b22,179,407	c	c
PER HEAD.				
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1925	6 6 7	2 13 2	3 18 4	12 18 0
1926	6 10 8	2 10 7	4 5 6	13 6 7
1927	7 2 4	2 10 5	4 16 9	14 9 3
1928	6 12 8	2 8 8	5 3 7	14 4 9
1929	6 9 3	2 8 0	5 2 10	13 19 11
1930	6 9 11	2 11 0	5 5 7	14 6 4
1931	4 7 1	a3 8 1	5 10 6	13 5 6
1932	4 6 8	a3 18 0	5 0 2	13 4 8
1933	4 19 11	a3 10 1	5 13 3	14 3 1
1934	5 2 11	b3 6 7	5 3 7	13 12 11
1935	5 13 0	b3 2 4	5 8 11	14 4 1
1936	6 2 9	b3 5 8	c	c

(a) Sales Tax included under "Other". (b) Sales and Flour Taxes included under "Other". (c) Not available.

85.—PUBLIC DEBT.—COMMONWEALTH AND STATES (AT 30th JUNE).

State.	Redeemable.			
	Aus- tralia.	Lon- don.	New York.	Total.
	£'000. (Aust.)	£'000. (Stg.)	£'000. (b)	£'000. (a)
1936—	AMOUNT.			
States—				
N.S.W.	171,968	161,437	13,171	346,576
Victoria	107,600	62,910	4,548	175,058
Q'land.	52,309	63,171	7,167	122,647
S.A. ..	60,630	43,316	1,753	105,699
W.A. ..	44,068	44,238	2,038	90,344
Tas. ..	10,684	13,503	231	24,418
Total ..	447,259	388,575	28,908	864,742
C'wealth ..	217,335	156,286	16,351	389,972
Total Debt—				
1936 ..	664,594	544,861	45,259	1,254,714
1935 ..	650,093	546,457	45,565	1,242,115
1934 ..	629,285	547,325	45,949	1,222,559
1933 ..	607,388	550,799	46,471	1,204,658
1932 ..	586,220	554,528	47,080	1,187,828
	PER HEAD.			
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1936 ..	98 1 4	80 7 11	6 13 7	185 2 10
1935 ..	96 13 7	81 5 4	6 15 6	184 14 5
1934 ..	94 5 1	81 19 7	6 17 8	183 2 4
1933 ..	91 12 3	83 1 7	7 0 2	181 14 0
1932 ..	89 2 8	84 6 4	7 3 2	180 12 2

(a) Total "face" or "book" value of debt, leaving out of account currency changes since the loans were floated. (b) Payable in terms of dollars. For this table dollars have been arbitrarily converted at the rate of \$4.8665 to £1.

86.—MUNICIPAL AND SEMI-GOVERNMENTAL AUTHORITIES—DEBT, 30th JUNE, 1934.

State.	Due to Central Govern- ment.	Due to Public Creditor.			Grand Total.
		Aus- tralia.	Over- seas.	Total.	

(A) MUNICIPAL.

	£'000 A.	£'000 A.	£'000(a)	£'000(b)	£'000(b)
N.S.W.c	4,388	24,776	9,285	34,061	38,449
Vic. ..	938	11,976	..	11,976	12,914
Qld. (d)	9,176	5,908	9,275	15,183	24,359
S.A. ..	326	769	..	769	1,095
W.A. ..	..	2,602	562	3,164	3,164
Tas. ..	439	1,550	1,185	2,735	3,174
Total	15,267	47,581	20,307	67,888	83,155

(B) SEMI-GOVERNMENTAL AUTHORITIES.

	£'000 A.	£'000 A.	£'000(a)	£'000(b)	£'000(b)
N.S.W.	31,223	10,025	1,488	11,513	42,736
Vic. ..	1,118	31,461	5,807	37,268	38,386
Qld. ..	2,297	928	..	928	3,225
S.A. ..	5,346	1,399	..	1,399	6,745
W.A. ..	113	93	..	93	206
Tas. ..	704	74	..	74	778
Total	40,801	43,980	7,295	51,275	92,076

(a) London debt expressed in sterling; New York debt arbitrarily converted to £'s. at the rate of \$4.8665 to £1. (b) Total "face" or "book" value of the debt without adjustment on account of currency changes since the loans were floated. (c) 31st December, 1933. (d) 31st December, 1934, except for City of Brisbane figures (30th June, 1935).

87.—MUNICIPAL AND SEMI-GOVERNMENTAL AUTHORITIES—INTEREST PAYABLE, 30th JUNE, 1934.

State.	Payable to Central Govern- ment.	Payable to Public Creditor.			Grand Total.
		Aus- tralia.	Over- seas.	Total.	

(A) MUNICIPAL.

	£'000 A.	£'000 A.	£'000(a)	£'000(a)	£'000(a)
N.S.W.(c)	167	1,141	477	1,618	1,785
Vic. ..	(b)	564	..	564	(e) 564
Qld. (d)	457	247	492	739	1,196
S.A. ..	17	35	..	35	52
W.A. ...	..	160	24	184	184
Tas. ..	(f) 23	(f) 80	58	138	161
Total	(e) 664	2,227	1,051	3,278	(e)3,942

(B) SEMI-GOVERNMENTAL AUTHORITIES.

	£'000 A.	£'000 A.	£'000(a)	£'000(a)	£'000(a)
N.S.W.	1,239	422	85	507	1,746
Vic. ..	35	1,428	303	1,731	1,766
Qld. ..	120	31	..	31	151
S.A. ..	247	60	..	60	307
W.A. ..	6	5	..	5	11
Tas. ..	32	3	..	3	35
Total	1,679	1,949	388	2,337	4,016

(a) Nominal amount of interest payable ignoring exchange. (b) Not available. (c) See Note (e) to previous table. (d) See note (d) to previous table. (e) Incomplete. (f) Estimated.

88.—JOINT STOCK BANKS.—AVERAGE LIABILITIES AND ASSETS IN AUSTRALIA.

(Exclusive of Commonwealth Bank—see Tables Nos. 89 and 90.)

,000 OMITTED.

Heading.	Average for quarter ended June.		
	1934.	1935.	1936.
	£	£	£

LIABILITIES.

<i>Australia.</i>			
Notes	174	169	168
Deposits—			
Not bearing interest	101,854	107,329	110,590
Bearing interest ..	201,218	190,720	187,491
Total Deposits ..	303,072	298,049	298,081
Other (Bills, Balances)	3,901	3,814	4,240
Total Liabilities ..	307,147	302,032	302,489

ASSETS.

Coin and Bullion ..	1,886	1,907	2,024
Australian Notes (a)	51,973	37,244	29,474
Land & Other Property	8,285	8,754	8,979
Government and Municipal Securities ..	53,042	53,648	45,611
Notes, Bills, & Balances	5,682	4,757	4,634
Other (Advances, &c.)	255,796	273,183	282,513
Total Assets ..	376,664	379,493	373,235

(a) Includes cash with Commonwealth Bank.

89.—COMMONWEALTH BANK OF AUSTRALIA— AVERAGE LIABILITIES IN AUSTRALIA.

,000 OMITTED.

Heading.	Average for quarter ended June—		
	1934.	1935.	1936.
Deposits—	£	£	£
Not Bearing Interest	12,374	11,758	11,993
Bearing Interest ..	28,590	33,542	33,684
Total Deposits ..	40,964	45,300	45,677
Other (Bills, Balances)	38,684	23,910	17,178
Total Liabilities (a)	79,648	69,210	62,855

(a) Government "set-off" accounts, interstate, deducted.

90.—COMMONWEALTH BANK OF AUSTRALIA— AVERAGE ASSETS IN AUSTRALIA.

,000 OMITTED.

Heading.	Average for quarter ended June—		
	1934.	1935.	1936.
	£	£	£
Coin and Bullion ..	838	813	1,103
Australian Notes ..	6,386	5,011	5,185
Land & Other Property	911	874	818
Govt. and Municipal			
Securities (ab) ..	45,580	43,837	40,068
Notes, Bills, & Balances	92	105	137
Other (Advances, &c.)	6,919	7,449	9,398
Total Assets (b) ..	60,726	58,089	56,709

(a) Includes short term loans in Australia.

(b) Government "set-off" accounts, interstate, deducted.

91.—SAVINGS BANKS DEPOSITS.

(Including Commonwealth Savings Bank.)

State or Territory.	At 30th June—			
	1933.	1934.	1935.	1936.(a)
TOTAL DEPOSITS, £'000.				
New South Wales	72,308	75,714	77,906	80,000
Victoria ..	67,814	69,372	72,019	73,890
Queensland ..	23,453	24,834	26,197	27,132
South Australia	22,515	23,438	24,185	25,337
Western Australia	10,064	10,399	10,929	11,517
Tasmania ..	5,865	6,039	6,430	6,818
Federal Capital Territory ..	225	236	230	239
Northern Territory ..	38	44	53	58
Total ..	202,282	210,676	217,949	224,991

DEPOSITS PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

	£	£	£	£
New South Wales	27.8	28.9	29.5	30.0
Victoria ..	37.3	38.2	39.2	40.0
Queensland ..	24.7	25.9	27.1	27.7
South Australia	38.8	40.2	41.4	43.2
Western Australia	22.9	23.5	24.5	25.5
Tasmania ..	25.8	26.5	28.1	29.6
Federal Capital Territory ..	25.2	25.4	24.8	25.1
Northern Territory ..	7.9	9.0	10.5	11.5
Total ..	30.5	31.5	32.4	33.2

(a) Preliminary figures subject to revision.

92.—LIFE ASSURANCE.—AUSTRALIAN BUSINESS.

Particulars.	1932.	1933.	1934.
No. of Societies	28	27	27
Receipts £	20,418,299	21,031,276	22,299,920
Expenditure £	15,559,560	15,299,452	14,481,299
Policies exist- ing—			
Ordinary No.	866,084	877,173	908,620
„ Value £	286,288,696	292,469,393	304,778,667
Industrial No.	1,595,347	1,667,531	1,782,291
„ Value £	69,409,234	72,180,800	77,024,429
Premiums Paid (a)—			
Ordinary £	9,354,001	9,703,250	10,240,507
Industrial £	4,049,955	4,133,390	4,455,290
Claims Paid—			
Ordinary £	5,834,098	6,071,545	6,345,000
Industrial £	1,656,710	1,614,375	1,590,929
Assets in Aus- tralia £	153,795,886	158,371,939	168,208,222

(a) Assurance and Endowment Premiums.

93.—FIRE, MARINE AND GENERAL INSURANCE.

SUMMARY FOR STATES, 1934-35.

State.	Prem- iums.(a)	Losses. (b)	Propor- tion of losses on premiums.
	£	£	%
New South Wales	4,737,851	2,241,145	47.30
Victoria ..	3,234,259	1,313,394	40.61
Queensland ..	1,051,291	334,131	31.78
South Australia ..	832,938	301,269	36.17
Western Australia	964,609	454,809	47.15
Tasmania ..	300,182	103,713	34.55
Total ..	11,121,130	4,748,461	42.70

PRINCIPAL CLASSES OF RISK.

	£	£	%
Fire	5,139,795	1,439,702	28.01
Workers Com- sation ..	1,870,013	1,436,317	76.81
Motor Vehicle ..	1,940,942	1,070,257	55.14
Marine.. ..	762,511	246,354	32.31
Personal Accident	357,469	146,952	41.11
All other ..	1,050,400	408,879	38.93
Total ..	11,121,130	4,748,461	42.70

(a) Less re-insurances and returns. (b) Less reinsurances.

94.—FRIENDLY SOCIETIES—SUMMARY, 1934.

State.	No. of Branches.	Average Benefit Mem- bers.	Total No. Weeks Sick Pay Granted.	Total Revenue.
				£
N.S.W. ..	2,436	208,310	450,191	932,740
Vic. ..	1,449	159,666	446,617	842,114
Q'land ..	604	65,649	133,310	307,870
S.A. ..	858	71,078	213,680	365,633
W.A. ..	341	22,489	49,931	111,952
Tas. ..	186	(a)24,446	61,626	116,299
Total ..	5,874	551,638	1,355,355	2,676,608

State.	Sick Pay.	Medical Attendance & Medi- cine.	Total Expendi- ture.	Total Funds.
	£	£	£	£
N.S.W. ..	251,796	271,779	876,274	4,282,259
Vic. ..	256,891	227,664	738,395	5,589,769
Q'land ..	88,805	93,814	272,667	1,811,159
S.A. ..	110,024	90,597	325,582	2,558,053
W.A. ..	31,441	29,676	99,035	557,734
Tas. ..	35,439	27,950	112,413	447,328
Total ..	774,396	741,480	2,424,366	15,246,302

(a) Estimated.

95.—CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES—YEAR 1934.

Classification.		N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	All States.
Producers'—								
Societies ..	No.	111	62	49	30	3	12	267
Membership ..	'000	47	38	34	7	4	6	136
Income (a) ..	£'000	12,388	5,018	6,318	802	321	329	25,176
Expenditure (a) ..	£'000	12,296	5,015	6,299	710	281	328	24,929
Consumers'—								
Societies ..	No.	53	21	9	7	6	3	99
Membership ..	'000	40	8	27	35	2	..	112
Income (a) ..	£'000	1,761	519	146	726	79	54	3,285
Expenditure (a) ..	£'000	1,682	514	146	684	76	52	3,154
Societies which are both Producers' and Consumers'—								
Societies ..	No.	..	9	8	3	50	..	70
Membership ..	'000	..	4	10	1	14	..	29
Income (a) ..	£'000	..	801	1,676	110	1,444	..	4,031
Expenditure (a) ..	£'000	..	784	1,687	103	1,406	..	3,980

(a) Income includes Sales, and Expenditure includes Purchases.

96.—ESTIMATE OF THE PRIVATE WEALTH OF
AUSTRALIA AS AT 30th JUNE, 1929.

Classification.	Value.
	£1,000.
Land and Improvements ..	2,251,077
Live Stock	194,045
Agricultural, Dairying, and Pastoral Implements and Machinery ..	56,905
Manufacturing Plant and Machinery	117,572
Mining Properties (including Plant and Machinery)	33,474
Coin and Bullion	47,987
Private Railways and Tramways ..	15,525
Shipping	8,004
Agricultural and Pastoral Products	108,470
Locally Manufactured Products ..	133,466
Mining Products other than Gold ..	2,688
Imported Merchandise	71,824
Clothing and Personal Adornments	31,866
Furniture and Fittings, Books ..	126,785
Motor Vehicles	146,837
Aircraft	139
Wireless Stations	4,799
Total	3,351,463

Private wealth per head, £526.

**97—ESTIMATES OF THE PRIVATE WEALTH OF
AUSTRALIA, 1915, 1921, 1927, and 1929.**

Classification.	Value.			
	1915. (Knibbs.)	1921. (Wickens.)	1927. (Wickens.)	1929. (Wickens.)
	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.
Land & Im- provements ..	1,105,637	1,361,269	1,998,716	2,251,077
Live Stock	100,391	158,833	196,262	194,045
Coin & Bul- lion ..	44,379	61,216	48,908	47,987
Merchandise & Produce on Hand	147,948	259,901	327,608	316,448
Household Furniture & Personal Property	91,938	136,069	153,613	158,651
Shipping ..	13,331	7,243	8,375	8,004
Mines & Plant	41,319	34,000	36,945	33,474
Plant, Machinery, etc., n.e.i.	74,574	119,655	175,878	190,002
Motor Vehi- cles ..	(a)	27,675	112,812	146,837
Aircraft ..	..	..	61	139
Wireless Stns.	..	..	4,591	4,799
Total ..	1,619,517	2,165,861	3,063,769	3,351,463
Per Head	£327	£397	£497	£526

(a) Included in Household Furniture and Personal Property.

98.—STATE AND PRIVATE SCHOOLS—RETURNS 1934.

State.		Number of Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars Enrolled.	Average Attend- ance.
N.S.W. ^a	{S.	3,420	12,319	360,188	309,953
	{P.	755	4,802	91,124	80,407
Vic.	{S.	2,764	8,687	240,105	210,165
	{P.	510	2,498	69,792	61,583
Q'ld.	{S.	1,723	4,263	143,502	113,336
	{P.	211	1,334	31,101	26,468
S.A.	{S.	1,082	3,181	83,491	76,352
	{P.	178	889	13,861	12,339
W.A.	{S.	887	2,381	59,570	53,496
	{P.	143	588	12,267	11,207
Tas.	{S.	515	1,286	33,723	29,317
	{P.	65	256	5,291	4,834
N.T.	{S.	6	13	310	273
	{P.	1	5	102	89
Total	{S.	10,397	32,130	920,889	792,892
	{P.	1,863	10,372	223,538	196,927

S=State School ; P=Private School.

(a) Including Federal Capital Territory.

**99.—UNIVERSITIES.—TEACHERS AND
STUDENTS, 1934.**

University.	Professors.	Lecturers and Demonstrators.	Students attending Lectures.		
			Matricu- lated.	Non-mat- riculated.	Total.
Sydney ..	48	181	2,627	416	3,043
Melbourne ..	34	204	..	..	a2,933
Queensland (Bris- bane) ..	14	76	847	182	1,029
Adelaide ..	17	113	1,118	948	b2,066
Western Australia (Perth) ..	14	39	798	2	800
Tasmania (Hobart)	9	22	249	77	326

(a) Exclusive of 203 music students. (b) Ex-
clusive of 266 music students.

100.—TRADE UNIONS—MEMBERSHIP, 1935.

(At end of year.)

State.	No. of Members of Unions.	Estimated Number of Em- ployees 20 yrs. of age and over. (b)	Percentage of Members on Esti- mated Number of Employees.
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MALES.

N.S. Wales (a) ..	266,096	562,348	47.3
Victoria ..	159,119	378,374	42.1
Queensland ..	121,601	201,289	60.4
S. Australia ..	51,974	118,182	44.0
W. Australia ..	51,002	97,033	52.6
Tasmania ..	11,832	42,222	28.0
N. Territory ..	823	1,838	44.8
Total ..	662,447	1,401,286	47.3

FEMALES.

N.S. Wales (a) ..	44,651	137,647	32.4
Victoria ..	40,013	121,278	40.7
Queensland ..	26,526	46,440	57.1
S. Australia ..	7,128	29,372	24.3
W. Australia ..	7,313	21,016	34.9
Tasmania ..	2,724	10,162	26.8
N. Territory ..	28	187	15.0
Total ..	128,383	366,102	35.1

(a) Includes members in Federal Capital Territory.

(b) Estimated number of Juniors (15-19)—Males, 255,160 ; Females, 160,120.

101.—UNEMPLOYMENT—TRADE UNIONS, AUSTRALIA.

Year.	Unions making Returns.		Unemployed.	
	No.	Member-ship.	No.	Per-centage.
1925 Average.	380	391,380	34,620	8.8
1926 "	374	415,397	29,326	7.1
1927 "	375	445,985	31,032	7.0
1928 "	375	423,422	45,669	10.8
1929 "	382	424,093	47,359	11.1
1930 "	395	438,874	84,767	19.3
1931 "	397	430,004	117,866	27.4
1932 "	395	415,434	120,454	29.0
1933 "	394	415,305	104,035	25.1
1934 "	394	424,035	86,865	20.5
1935 "	396	435,938	71,823	16.5

NOTE.—The percentage of Unemployed for the quarter ended June, 1936, was 12.8.

102.—UNEMPLOYMENT—TRADE UNIONS, STATES.

State.	1931.	1932.	1933.	1934.	1935.
	%	%	%	%	%
New South Wales ..	30.8	32.5	28.9	24.7	20.6
Victoria ..	25.8	26.5	22.3	17.4	14.0
Queensland..	16.2	18.8	15.3	11.7	8.7
South Aus- tralia ..	32.5	34.0	29.9	25.6	17.6
Western Aus- tralia ..	27.3	29.5	24.8	17.8	13.4
Tasmania ..	27.4	26.4	19.1	17.9	15.9
Australia..	27.4	29.0	25.1	20.5	16.5

103.—EMPLOYERS' ASSOCIATIONS—MEMBERSHIP, 1935 (AT END OF YEAR).

State.	No. of Associations.	No. of Branches.	Membership.
New South Wales (a)	131	786	59,444
Victoria	156	559	37,765
Queensland	72	135	18,556
South Australia	60	8	7,536
Western Australia	56	302	10,791
Tasmania	25	8	2,087
Total ..	500	1,798	136,179

(a) Includes 1 Association in Federal Capital Territory.

104.—RETAIL PRICE INDEX-NUMBERS—CAPITAL CITIES.

" B " SERIES.

Index-numbers showing variation in the Cost of Food, Groceries, and Housing (4 and 5 rooms only), with weighted average cost in the Six Capital Cities during the period 1923-1927 as base (= 1,000).

Capital Cities.	1907.	1914.	1934.	1935.
Sydney ..	548	687	840	858
Melbourne ..	495	616	769	808
Brisbane ..	442	554	713	747
Adelaide ..	524	671	742	764
Perth ..	594	679	802	810
Hobart ..	508	621	814	827
Weighted Aver. Capital Cities	520	648	792	818

105.—RETAIL PRICES—CAPITAL CITIES.

" B " SERIES.

(Food, Groceries, and Housing—4 and 5 rooms only.)
Comparative Amounts necessary to purchase in the Capital Cities what would have cost on the average £1 during the period 1923-1927, in the Capitals as a whole.

Capital Cities.	1907.	1914.	1934.	1935.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
Sydney ..	11 0	13 9	16 10	17 2
Melbourne ..	9 11	12 4	15 5	16 2
Brisbane ..	8 10	11 1	14 3	14 11
Adelaide ..	10 6	13 5	14 10	15 3
Perth ..	11 11	13 7	16 1	16 2
Hobart ..	10 2	12 5	16 3	16 7
Weighted Aver. Capital Cities	10 5	13 0	15 10	16 4

106.—RETAIL PRICE INDEX-NUMBERS—
CAPITAL CITIES.

" A " SERIES.

Index-numbers showing variation in the Cost of Food, Groceries, and Housing (All Houses), with weighted average cost in the Six Capital Cities for the year 1911 as base (=1,000).

Capital Cities.	1907.	1911.	1934.	1935.
Sydney ..	926	1,031	1,468	1,490
Melbourne ..	875	950	1,367	1,420
Brisbane ..	794	915	1,254	1,308
Adelaide ..	894	1,058	1,275	1,299
Perth ..	986	1,126	1,326	1,341
Hobart ..	886	954	1,418	1,429
Weighted Aver. Capital Cities	897	1,000	1,385	1,420

107.—RETAIL PRICE INDEX-NUMBERS— THIRTY TOWNS.

Quarter ended June, 1936.

"B" SERIES.

Index-numbers showing variation in the Cost of Food, Groceries, and Housing (4 and 5 rooms only), with weighted average cost in the Six Capital Cities during the period 1923-1927 as base (= 1,000).

Towns.	Index No.	Towns.	Index No.
N.S. WALES—		S. AUST.— <i>cont.</i>	
Sydney ..	870	Port Pirie ..	774
Newcastle ..	856	Mt. Gambier	738
Broken Hill ..	833	Peterborough	789
Goulburn ..	853	Weighted Av.	784
Bathurst ..	829		
Weighted Av.	868	W. AUSTRALIA—	
VICTORIA—		Perth &c. ..	842
Melbourne ..	825	Kalgoorlie &c.	1,031
Ballarat ..	764	Northam ..	846
Bendigo ..	773	Bunbury ..	860
Geelong ..	813	Geraldton ..	916
Warrnambool	821	Weighted Av.	858
Weighted Av.	821	TASMANIA—	
QUEENSLAND—		Hobart ..	837
Brisbane ..	760	Launceston..	781
Toowoomba ..	762	Burnie ..	798
Rockhampton	752	Devonport ..	779
Charters T'w'rs	754	Queenstown	831
Warwick ..	720	Weighted Av.	815
Weighted Av.	758		
S. AUSTRALIA—		WEIGHTED AV.	
Adelaide ..	788	30 TOWNS	831
Kadina, &c. ..	697	WEIGHTED AV.	
		6 CAPITALS	834

108.—RETAIL PRICE INDEX-NUMBERS—CAPITAL CITIES.

"C" SERIES. (a)

Index-numbers showing variation in the Cost of Food, Groceries, Housing (4 and 5 rooms only), Clothing, Fuel and Light and other Miscellaneous Expenditure, with Weighted Average Cost in the Six Capital Cities during the period 1923-1927 as base (= 1,000).

Capital Cities.	November.		Year.	
	1914.	1920.	1934.	1935.
Sydney ..	712	1,193	842	852
Melbourne ..	671	1,172	801	824
Brisbane ..	611	1,054	762	780
Adelaide ..	699	1,164	806	820
Perth ..	707	1,111	830	834
Hobart ..	687	1,213	837	849
Weighted Average, Capital Cities ..	687	1,166	817	832

(a) Adopted by Commonwealth Court of Conciliation and Arbitration from 1st May, 1934, for the fixation and adjustment of all wages controlled by Court.

109.—RETAIL PRICE INDEX-NUMBERS— THIRTY TOWNS.

Quarter ended June, 1936.

"C" SERIES. (a)

Index-numbers showing variation in the cost of Food, Groceries, Housing (4 and 5 rooms only), Clothing and other Miscellaneous Expenditure, with weighted average cost in the Six Capital Cities during the period 1923-1927 as base (= 1,000).

Towns.	Index No.	Towns.	Index No.
N.S. WALES—		S. AUST.— <i>cont.</i>	
Sydney ..	862	Port Pirie ..	811
Newcastle ..	861	Mt. Gambier ..	819
Broken Hill ..	825	Peterborough ..	844
Goulburn ..	875	Weighted Av.	834
Bathurst ..	832	W. AUSTRALIA—	
Weighted Av.	861	Perth, &c. ..	852
VICTORIA—		Kalgoorlie &c.	1,034
Melbourne ..	832	Northam ..	847
Ballarat ..	811	Bunbury ..	884
Bendigo ..	810	Geraldton ..	914
Geelong ..	841	Weighted Av.	867
Warrnambool ..	850	TASMANIA—	
Weighted Av.	832	Hobart ..	858
QUEENSLAND—		Launceston ..	833
Brisbane ..	785	Burnie ..	803
Toowoomba ..	785	Devonport ..	804
Rockhampton ..	793	Queenstown ..	856
Charters T'w'rs ..	809	Weighted Av.	846
Warwick ..	764	WEIGHTED AV.	
Weighted Av.	786	30 TOWNS ..	841
S. AUSTRALIA—		WEIGHTED AV.	
Adelaide ..	838	6 CAPITALS ..	842
Kadina, &c. ..	769		

(a) See footnote on preceding page.

110.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES—CAPITAL CITIES—QUARTER ENDED 30th JUNE, 1936.

Commodity.			Sydney.	Melbourne.	Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.
			d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Bread ..	2 lb.		5	4½	5	4½	5	4½
Flour, ordinary	25 "		46½	37	44½	36¾	41¾	37½
" self-raising	2 "		5¾	6	6¾	5½	6½	5¾
Tea ..	1 "		26¾	26½	25¾	27½	27¾	27½
Sugar ..	1 "		4	4	4	4	4	4
Rice ..	1 "		3	3½	3	3	3½	3½
Sago ..	1 "		3½	3	3	3	3½	3½
Jam ..	1½ "		10	8¾	8½	8¾	9	9¾
Golden Syrup	2 "		6¾	7½	6¾	6½	7½	7½
Oatmeal ..	1 "		2½	2½	2½	2½	3	3½
Raisins ..	1 "		9	9¾	10	7¾	9½	9½
Currants ..	1 "		8½	8½	9½	7¾	8½	9
Apricots, dried	1 "		13½	14¾	14	13½	13½	13½
Peaches, canned	2 "		9½	9½	10½	9½	11	10½
Pears, canned	2 "		10¾	10½	11½	9½	11¾	9¾
Salmon, in tins	1 "		14	16	13½	12	13½	13½
Potatoes ..	14 "		18½	16½	18½	17	17	17¾
Onions ..	1 "		2	1½	1¾	1¾	2½	2
Soap ..	1 "		4½	5	3½	4½	4½	5
Candles ..	1 "		11½	11½	10½	10½	11½	11½
Kerosene ..	1 gal.		17½	19¾	16½	16¾	19½	27½
Milk, fresh	1 quart		7½	6½	5¾	5¾	7	5½
Butter ..	1 lb.		16¾	17	16	18	18½	15
Cheese ..	1 "		12½	12½	11¾	11½	13½	11
Milk, condensed	1-tin		7½	7½	8	7½	8½	8
Eggs ..	1-doz.		22½	21¾	21½	19	26½	23¾

110.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES—CAPITAL
CITIES—QUARTER ENDED JUNE, 1936—
continued.

Commodity.		Sydney.	Melbourne.	Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.
		d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Bacon, rashers	1 lb.	13 $\frac{1}{4}$	15 $\frac{1}{4}$	11	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	14 $\frac{1}{4}$	12 $\frac{1}{4}$
Ham, uncooked	1 "	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	17 $\frac{1}{4}$	17 $\frac{1}{4}$	17 $\frac{3}{4}$	14 $\frac{1}{2}$
Beef, Sirloin	1 "	9 $\frac{1}{4}$	8 $\frac{1}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	8	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{3}{4}$
" Ribs	1 "	7	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$
Steak, Rump	1 "	13 $\frac{1}{4}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	11 $\frac{3}{4}$	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{4}$
" Stewing	1 "	6	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	4 $\frac{3}{4}$	7	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$
Sausages	1 "	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{3}{4}$	6
Beef, Corn Round	1 "	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	6	8	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{4}$
" Brisket with bone	1 "	3 $\frac{3}{4}$	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	3 $\frac{1}{4}$	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	4 $\frac{1}{2}$
Mutton, Leg	1 "	7	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{3}{4}$
" Shoulder	1 "	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	4 $\frac{1}{4}$	5	6	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	5 $\frac{1}{4}$
" Loin	1 "	8	6 $\frac{1}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	7	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$
" Loin chops	1 "	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 $\frac{1}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 $\frac{3}{4}$
" Leg chops	1 "	7 $\frac{3}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	7 $\frac{3}{4}$	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	8 $\frac{3}{4}$
Pork, Leg	1 "	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	8 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{4}$	10	9 $\frac{1}{2}$
" Loin	1 "	11	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$
" Chops	1 "	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	9	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{3}{4}$
" Sausages	1 "	8 $\frac{1}{4}$	7 $\frac{3}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{4}$	7	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	8 $\frac{1}{4}$

III.—AVERAGE RENTS (4 AND 5 ROOMS ONLY)—CAPITAL CITIES—QUARTER ENDED JUNE, 1936.

City.	4 Rooms.				5 Rooms.				Weighted Average 4 and 5 Rooms.	
	Wood.		Brick.		Wood.		Brick.			
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.		
Sydney ..	15	7	19	0	19	10	22	9	20	5
Melbourne	15	7	18	5	20	2	22	11	19	5
Brisbane	13	10	..		17	8	..		16	3
Adelaide	..		14	5	..		19	0	16	11
Perth ..	14	4	17	5	16	10	21	8	18	1
Hobart ..	17	4	18	4	20	10	23	1	20	0

112.—MELBOURNE WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX- NUMBERS.

(Computed on Year 1911 as Base = 1,000.)

Group.	Year.			
	1913.	1933.	1934.	1935.
1. Metals and Coal	1,046	1,713	1,660	1,602
2. Jute, Leather, Wool, &c. ..	1,070	1,118	1,261	1,217
3. Agricultural Produce, &c.	1,097	1,175	1,288	1,344
4. Dairy Produce	1,054	1,195	1,274	1,325
5. Groceries ..	1,024	1,714	1,735	1,729
6. Meat ..	1,252	1,487	1,540	1,508
7. Building Ma- terials ..	1,128	2,061	2,015	1,964
8. Chemicals ..	995	2,106	2,018	1,996
All Groups ..	1,088	1,409	1,471	1,469

NOTE.—The Wholesale Price Index-number for all groups in June, 1936, was 1523.

113.—WEEKLY RATES OF WAGE FOR A FULL WEEK'S WORK—31st MARCH, 1936.

(The rates specified are in most cases the minimum rates payable under Awards and Industrial Agreements.)

Occupations.	Sydney.	Melbourne	Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Bakers {	105a 6	100 10	92a 0	88 0	94a 6	87 6
	110a 6	110 10	104a 6	93 0	104a 6	100 0
Blacksmiths	96a 6	94a 0	101a 4	95a 0	94a 6	94a 0
Boilermakers	97a 0	93a 0	97a 8	94 a0	94a 6	93a 0
Bootmakers—						
Males..	81a 0	81a 0	81a 0	81a 0	83a 4	81a 0
Females	41a 9	41a 9	41a 9	41a 9	44a 0	41a 9
Bricklayers	103a 8	112a 9	99d 7	101a 0	105a 6	99a 0
Brassfinishers	88a 0	84a 0	97a 8	85a 0	94a 6	85a 0
	to	to		to		to
	97a 0	93a 0	..	94a 0	..	94a 0
Cabinet Makers	94a 6	90a 0	102a 8	92 0	94a 6	93 0
Carpenters	111a 0	98a 6	99d 7	99a 6	104a 6	101a 6
Coachmakers	95a 6	91a 6	98a 0	92a 6	94 6	94a 6
Compositors ..	92a 0	92a 0	101a 0	92a 0	90a 0	92a 0
Fitters	97a 0	90 0	97a 8	94a 0	94a 6	93a 0

See footnotes on next page.

113.—WEEKLY RATES OF WAGE—*continued.*

Occupations.	Sydney.	Melbourne.	Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.
	<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i>	<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i>	<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i>	<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i>	<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i>	<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i>
French Polishers	94 <i>a</i> 6	90 <i>a</i> 0	102 <i>a</i> 8	92 0	91 <i>a</i> 6	93 0
Jewelers {	88 <i>a</i> 6	85 0	86 <i>a</i> 6	83 <i>c</i> 0	94 <i>a</i> 6	80 0
Painters	91 <i>a</i> 0	..	91 <i>a</i> 6	91 <i>c</i> 0	..	85 0
Pastry-cooks {	101 <i>a</i> 10	97 <i>a</i> 2	99 <i>d</i> 7	93 <i>a</i> 2	104 <i>a</i> 6	95 <i>a</i> 6
Pattern-makers	92 <i>a</i> 6	100 0	102 <i>a</i> 0	88 0	90 6	83 0
Plasterers	..	..	..	..	98 0	..
Plumbers {	104 <i>a</i> 0	102 <i>a</i> 0	103 <i>a</i> 0	103 <i>a</i> 0	103 <i>a</i> 6	102 <i>a</i> 0
Saddlers	103 <i>a</i> 8	106 <i>a</i> 4	99 <i>d</i> 7	101 <i>a</i> 0	106 <i>a</i> 4	95 <i>a</i> 6
Tailors Order..	112 <i>a</i> 10	101 <i>a</i> 9	99 <i>d</i> 7	99 11	106 <i>a</i> 4	92 <i>a</i> 8
Tailor-esses {	..	..	..	..	..	114 <i>a</i> 8
Tin-smiths {	88 0	88 0	88 0	85 0	89 9	88 0
Wharf Labourers <i>b</i>	88 <i>a</i> 0	88 <i>a</i> 0	88 <i>a</i> 0	88 <i>a</i> 0	89 <i>a</i> 6	88 <i>a</i> 0
	44 <i>a</i> 0	42 <i>a</i> 0	42 <i>a</i> 0	42 <i>a</i> 0	46 <i>a</i> 8	42 <i>a</i> 0
	49 <i>a</i> 6	47 <i>a</i> 0	47 <i>a</i> 0	47 <i>a</i> 0	56 <i>a</i> 0	47 <i>a</i> 0
	89 <i>a</i> 0	81 0	91 <i>a</i> 2	82 6	91 0	91 <i>a</i> 8
	..	90 0	..	89 6	99 6	..
	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6	2 6
	..	..	to 2 11	..	..	..

The hours of labour constituting a full week's work are 48, with the following exceptions :—(a) Forty-four hours per week. (b) Rate per hour. (c) 46½ hours per week. (d) 40 hours per week.

114.—WEEKLY BASIC WAGE—DECLARATIONS OF STATE TRIBUNALS.

State.	Basic Wage.		Date of Operation.	Family Unit for Male Rate.
	Males.	Females.		
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>		
N.S.W.	69 0 <i>a</i>	37 6	1.5.36	Man, wife, 1 child
Vic. ...	(<i>b</i>)	(<i>b</i>)	..	(<i>b</i>)
Q'land.	74 0	39 0	1.7.31	Man, wife, 3 children
S.A. ..	66 0	33 0 <i>d</i>	7.11.35	"
W.A. ...	70 6 <i>c</i>	38 1 <i>c</i>	1.7.35	Man, wife, 2 children
Tas. ...	(<i>b</i>)	(<i>b</i>)	..	(<i>b</i>)

(*a*) Plus child allowances. (*b*) Not declared. Federal rate is followed to large extent. (*c*) Metropolitan area. (*d*) Operative from 16th January, 1936.

115.—Weekly Basic Wage Rates (*a*)—Commonwealth Court of Conciliation and Arbitration at 1.9.1936.

"Restoration"

	Wage.	
	<i>s. d.</i>	
Sydney	70 0
Melbourne	66 0
Brisbane	64 0
Adelaide	67 0
Perth	68 0
Hobart	69 0
Six Capitals	68 0

(*a*) Family unit—man, wife, and two children. Female rate generally 54 per cent. of male rate.

116.—NOMINAL WEEKLY WAGE INDEX- NUMBERS, ADULT MALES.

(Weighted average weekly wage for Australia in
1911 (51s. 3d.) = 1,000.)

State.	1901.	31st March, 1934.	31st March, 1935.	31st March, 1936.
N. S. Wales	858	1,598	1,624	1,642
Victoria ..	796	1,503	1,548	1,560
Queensland	901	1,718	1,733	1,725
S. Australia	819	1,435	1,480	1,520
W. Australia	1,052	1,586	1,641	1,667
Tasmania ..	719	1,524	1,563	1,597
Weighted Average	848	1,572	1,604	1,620

117.—NOMINAL WEEKLY WAGE INDEX- NUMBERS, ADULT MALES—INDUSTRIAL GROUPS, AUSTRALIA.

(Weighted average weekly wage for Australia in
1911 (51s. 3d.) = 1,000.)

Industrial Group.	31st March, 1934.	31st March. 1935.	31st March, 1936.
Wood, Furniture, &c. ..	1,612	1,676	1,697
Engineering, Metal Works, &c. ..	1,591	1,634	1,665
Food, Drink, &c. ..	1,621	1,639	1,668
Clothing, Hats, Boots, &c. ..	1,482	1,559	1,577
Books, Printing, &c. ..	1,902	1,943	1,969
Other Manufacturing ..	1,549	1,593	1,623
Building	1,800	1,836	1,838
Mining, Quarries, &c. ..	1,894	1,908	1,934
Railway Services, &c. ..	1,570	1,626	1,642
Other Land Transport ..	1,500	1,549	1,565
Shipping, &c. ..	1,577	1,672	1,661
Agriculture, &c. ..	1,404	1,431	1,433
Household, Hotels, &c. ..	1,461	1,484	1,504
Miscellaneous ..	1,511	1,534	1,554
Weighted Average ..	1,572	1,604	1,620

118.—WEEKLY HOURS INDEX-NUMBERS, ADULT MALES—AUSTRALIA.

(Weighted Average Hours for Australia at 30th April,
1914 (48.93) = 1,000.)

State.	30th April, 1914.	31st Dec., 1933.	31st Dec., 1934.	31st Dec., 1935.
New South Wales	1,010	904	904	903
Victoria ..	997	957	957	955
Queensland ..	997	899	899	893
South Australia	993	957	957	953
Western Australia	976	930	930	929
Tasmania ..	994	956	956	955
Weighted Average	1,000	927	927	925

119.—REAL(a) WEEKLY WAGE INDEX- NUMBERS, ADULT MALES.

(Weighted average weekly wage for Australia in
1911 (51s. 3d.) = 1,000.)

State.	1901.	1933.	1934.	1935.
New South Wales	961	1,138	1,101	1,095
Victoria ..	915	1,139	1,114	1,092
Queensland ..	1,172	1,416	1,377	1,323
South Australia	948	1,152	1,144	1,149
Western Australia	1,024	1,246	1,221	1,224
Tasmania ..	827	1,094	1,086	1,099
Weighted Average	964	1,170	1,148	1,133

(a) Nominal wage index-numbers (assuming full work) corrected by application of retail price index-numbers ("A" Series).

120.—REAL(a) WAGE INDEX-NUMBERS, ADULT MALES—AUSTRALIA.

Year.	Nominal Wage Index No.	Percentage Unemployed.	Retail Price Index No.	(a) Real Wage Index-numbers.	
				Full Work.	Allowing for Lost Time.
1901	848	6.6	880	964	945
1911	1,000	4.7	1,000	1,000	1,000
1915	1,092	9.3	1,278	854	813
1916	1,144	5.8	1,324	864	854
1917	1,226	7.1	1,318	930	907
1918	1,270	5.8	1,362	932	921
1919	1,370	6.6	1,510	907	889
1920	1,627	6.5	1,785	911	894
1921	1,826	11.2	1,697	1,076	1,002
1922	1,801	9.3	1,600	1,126	1,072
1923	1,805	7.1	1,700	1,062	1,035
1924	1,840	8.9	1,681	1,095	1,046
1925	1,861	8.8	1,722	1,081	1,034
1926	1,914	7.1	1,786	1,072	1,045
1927	1,946	7.0	1,766	1,102	1,075
1928	1,963	10.8	1,760	1,115	1,044
1929	1,972	11.1	1,822	1,082	1,009
1930	1,939	19.3	1,683	1,152	976
1931	1,752	27.4	1,479	1,185	903
1932	1,639	29.0	1,403	1,168	870
1933	1,584	25.1	1,345	1,170	926
1934	1,590	20.5	1,385	1,148	957
1935	1,609	16.5	1,420	1,133	993

(a) Nominal wages corrected by application of retail price index-numbers ("A" Series).

NOTE.—For years prior to 1914, the nominal wage index-numbers and the percentage unemployed relate to the end of the year only; but from 1914 onward these figures, in addition to those for retail prices, are averages for the whole year.

121.—INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES—STATES AND AUSTRALIA.

State.	No. of Dis- putes.	Work- people In- volved.	Work- ing Days Lost.	Esti- mated Loss in Wages.	
1935.					
£					
N.S. Wales ..	133	33,405	301,345	237,984	
Victoria ..	20	7,901	45,713	31,280	
Queensland ..	13	1,995	73,351	57,960	
S. Australia ..	3	340	2,463	1,557	
W. Australia ..	11	3,603	71,976	61,901	
Tasmania ..	1	74	148	91	
N. Territory ..	1	4	128	100	
F.C. Territory ..	..	..	..	..
Australia {	1935	182	47,322	495,124	390,873
	1934	154	50,794	370,386	317,859
	1933	90	30,113	111,956	95,048
	1932	127	32,917	212,318	165,582
	1931	134	37,667	245,991	227,731
	1930	183	54,222	1,511,241	1,592,342
	1929	259	104,604	4,461,478	4,569,305
	1928	287	96,422	777,278	775,359
	1927	441	200,757	1,713,581	1,676,696
	1926	360	113,034	1,310,261	1,415,813
	1925	499	176,746	1,128,570	1,107,544
	1924	504	152,446	918,646	917,699
	1923	274	76,321	1,145,977	1,275,506
	1922	445	116,332	858,685	751,507
	1921	624	165,101	1,286,185	970,475
	1920	554	155,566	3,587,267	2,370,387

122.—DEFENCE FORCES—AUSTRALIA.

Naval Forces (31st March, 1936).

Description of Force.	Numbers Borne.		
	In Training.	Officers.	Men.
R.A.N. (Sea-going) ..	..	370	3,775
R.A.N. Auxiliary Forces ..	..	34	151
Cadet Midshipmen at R.A.N. College ..	44	..	..
Royal Australian Naval Reserve (Sea-going) ..	..	55	..
R.A. Fleet Reserve ..	..	..	335
R.A.N. Reserve ..	..	230	3,900
Royal Australian Naval Volunteer Reserve ..	..	70	72
Total	44	759	8,233

Military Forces (31st December, 1935).

Branch of Service.	No.
Permanent Forces	1,810
Militia Forces	26,270
Engineer and Railway Staff Corps ..	61
Unattached List of Officers ..	213
Reserve of Officers	5,625
Chaplains	209
Total	34,188

R.A. Air Force (31st December, 1935).

Branch.	Officers.	Airmen.
	No.	No.
Permanent Air Force ..	189	1,577
Citizen Air Force ..	28	210

123.—CONSUMPTION OF SPIRITS, BEER, AND TOBACCO—AUSTRALIA.

Items.	1933-34.	1934-35.
Spirits—		
Total consumed .. gals.	1,280,326	1,413,274
Consumption per head „	0.192	0.211
Estimated cost (a) £	4,929,255	5,441,105
Cost per head (a).. £	0 14 10	0 16 3
Duty and Excise paid(b) £	2,097,137	2,183,738
Beer—		
Total consumed .. gals.	53,396,097	58,187,152
Consumption per head „	8.02	8.68
Estimated cost (a) £	10,679,219	11,637,630
Cost per head (a).. £	1 12 1	1 14 9
Duty and Excise paid(b) £	4,813,488	5,145,041
Tobacco (all kinds)—		
Total consumed .. lb.	18,771,076	19,225,451
Consumption per head „	2.812	2.867
Estimated cost (a) £	11,765,111	12,105,744
Cost per head (a).. £	1 15 3	1 16 1
Duty and Excise paid(b) £	8,096,900	8,474,118

(a) The "cost" is reckoned at the wholesale prices of spirits, beer and unmanufactured tobacco, including all duties of customs and excise, which amount to rather more than half of the total "cost", as shown in the table, for spirits, beer and tobacco together.

(b) Gross collections.

NOTE.—The consumption of wine is estimated to be about 0.82 gallon per head per annum.

124.—CONSUMPTION OF PRINCIPAL COM- MODITIES IN AUSTRALIA.

Average Annual Consumption per Head of
Population.

Commodity.	1904 to 1913.	1914-15 to 1920-21.	1921-22 to 1925-26.	1926-27 to 1930-31.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
Wheat ..	320	376	378	380
Flour ..	210	220	211	204
Oats ..	101	73	75	60
Rice ..	11	6½	7	9
Barley ..	28	31	29	34
Maize ..	125	92	95	76
Potatoes ..	(a)	126	121	112
Sugar ..	121	117	118	122
Jam ..	17	14	11	12
Beef ..	121	110	132	117
Mutton and Lamb ..	83	69	66	72
Bacon and Ham	9	10	11	12
Fish, Preserved	4¾	3	4	4
Butter ..	21	25	28	30
Cheese ..	3½	3½	4	4
Condensed Milk	4½	6½	6	(b)
Tea ..	7½	8	8	7½
Coffee ..	1½	1½	1½	1½
Tobacco ..	2¾	3	4	3½
	gal.	gal.	gal.	gal.
Kerosene ..	4¼	4	4½	8
Motor Spirit ..	2	4	13	33

In regard to agricultural products, the figures quoted are in all cases exclusive of the quantities (if any) used for seed purposes, but include amounts used for all other purposes. (a) The estimate for potatoes for this period is dubious. (b) Not available.

CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—AUSTRALIA.

- 1770—Captain Cook's first voyage to Australia.
- 1788—"First Fleet" arrived Botany Bay. Settlement at Sydney.
- 1796—Coal discovered, Newcastle.
- 1797—Merino Sheep introduced from Cape Colony.
- 1798—Bass and Flinders proved Tasmania an island.
- 1802—Murray discovered Port Phillip.
- 1803—Capt. Macarthur took first wool to England. Settlement at Risdon, Tasmania.
- 1804—Settlement at Hobart.
- 1810—First Post Office, Sydney.
- 1814—Creation of Civil Courts, New South Wales. Australia received present name.
- 1817—First Bank, New South Wales.
- 1823—First Australian Constitution. Gold discovered, Fish River, New South Wales.
- 1824—N.S.W. a Crown Colony.
- 1825—Tasmania an independent Colony.
- 1826—Military Settlement at King George's Sound.
- 1829—Foundation of Perth, W.A.
- 1831—First assisted immigration, New South Wales.
- 1834—South Australia a separate Colony.
- 1835—Batman selected site of Melbourne.
- 1836—Settlement at Adelaide.
- 1839—Strzelecki discovered gold, New South Wales.
- 1841—New Zealand separated from New South Wales.
- 1842—Representative Government, N.S.W. Copper discovered, Kapunda, South Australia.
- 1850—Representative Govt., Vic., S.A., and Tas.
- 1851—Victoria a separate Colony. Gold discovered.
- 1854—Goldfields Riots, Ballarat, Eureka Stockade.
- 1857—Manhood Suffrage, Victoria.
- 1858—Manhood Suffrage, New South Wales.
- 1859—Queensland a separate Colony.
- 1860—Copper discovered, Wallaroo and Moonta, S.A.
- 1867—Prot. Tariff, Vic. Gold disc., Gympie, Qld.
- 1871—Tin discovered, Mt. Bischoff, Tasmania.

CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—AUSTRALIA— *continued.*

- 1872—Cable from Java to Darwin.
- 1878—Telephone introduced into Australia.
- 1881—First Australian Census. Population, 2,250,194.
- 1883—Silver discovered, Broken Hill.
- 1886—Gold and copper discovered, Mt. Lyell, Tas.
- 1890—Responsible Government, W.A.
- 1892—Gold discovered, Coolgardie, W.A.
- 1893—Financial Crisis.
- 1894—Adult Suffrage, South Australia.
- 1895—Free-trade Tariff; Land and Income Taxes, N.S.W.
- 1898—Federal Constitution Bill, N.S.W., Vic., S.A., and Tas. Rejected, N.S.W.
- 1899—South African War. Australian Contingents. Federal Constitution Bill accepted.
- 1900—Old-age Pensions, New South Wales.
- 1901—Commonwealth proclaimed, Sydney. Federal Parliament opened, Melb., by Duke of York. Population, 3,773,801.
- 1902—First Federal Tariff.
- 1903—Inauguration of Federal High Court.
- 1906—Wireless telegraph, Vic. and Tas. Papua taken over by Commonwealth.
- 1907—Imperial Conference, London. New Customs Tariff; preference to U.K. Telephone trunk line between Sydney and Melbourne.
- 1908—Yass-Canberra site chosen for Federal Capital. Visit of U.S. Fleet.
- 1909—Imperial Defence Conference, London.
- 1910—Penny postage. *Yarra* and *Parramatta* arrive. Australian Notes issued.
- 1911—First Commonwealth Census. Northern Territory transferred to Commonwealth. Compulsory Military Training.

CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—AUSTRALIA— *continued.*

- 1912—Commonwealth Bank opened. First Payments Maternity Bonus. First sod turned Port Augusta-Kalgoorlie Railway line.
- 1913—H.M.A.Ss. *Australia*, *Sydney* and *Melbourne* arrive. Foundation stone laid, Canberra.
- 1914—European War. Australian Forces embark. *Sydney* destroyed *Emden*. Double dissolution of Parliament.
- 1915—Broken Hill Pty.'s Iron Works Newcastle. Landing, Gallipoli, 25th April. War Census.
- 1916—Aus. troops transferred to France. Compulsory Military Service Referendum defeated.
- 1917—Transcontinental Railway completed. Military Service (Reinforcements) Referendum defeated.
- 1918—Population of Australia reached 5,000,000. Cruiser *Adelaide* launched at Sydney.
- 1919—Peace signed, 28th June. Sir Ross Smith and Sir Keith Smith completed first aeroplane flight from London.
- 1920—Visit of Prince of Wales.
- 1921—Second Commonwealth Census.

CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—AUSTRALIA— *continued.*

- 1922—Economic Conference at Sydney. First lock on River Murray opened at Blanchetown, South Australia.
- 1923—First sod, site of Parliament House, Canberra, turned. Pan-Pacific Science Congress, Melbourne.
- 1924—Visit of British Cruiser Squadron. First sale of land leases at Canberra.
- 1925—Visit of American Fleet. Commonwealth Solar Observatory established. Brisbane-Kyogle railway commenced. Bridge over Sydney Harbour commenced. Population of Australia reached 6,000,000.
- 1926—Referendum: Industry and Commerce; Widening State Powers; proposals rejected. North-West Australia Commission established.
- 1927—Beam Wireless established. Visit of H.R.H. the Duke and Duchess of York, and opening of Commonwealth Parliament at Canberra; transfer of Departments to Canberra begun. Sydney Mint closed.
- 1928—Visit of the British Economic Mission to report on the development of Australian resources. Empire Forestry Conference held in Australia. Financial agreement between Commonwealth and States adopted by referendum; State debts taken over by Commonwealth; Loan Council formally constituted.

CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—AUSTRALIA— *continued.*

- 1929—Disastrous floods in Tasmania. Timber Workers' Strike and Northern Coalfields Lock-out. Perth centenary celebrations. Abolition of compulsory military training in favour of voluntary system.
- 1930—Wireless phone service with other countries inaugurated. Commonwealth Sales tax and primage duty on imports introduced. Visit of Sir Otto Niemeyer to Australia to discuss financial questions. First Australian—Right Hon. Sir Isaac Alfred Isaacs, Chief Justice of the High Court—appointed Governor-General. Telephone trunk line established between Adelaide and Perth.
- 1931—Sterling exchange at 130 from January to December; thence at 125. Reduction of 10 per cent. in wage rates by Commonwealth Arbitration Court, in addition to the "automatic" adjustments to falling prices. First experimental air mail from England to Australia and return. Initiation of Premiers' Conference plan to meet the financial situation, i.e., by—(a) reduction of 20 per cent. in all adjustable Government expenditure; (b) conversion of internal debts of Governments on the basis of a $22\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. reduction of interest (of the total of £558 millions over 97 per cent. converted voluntarily); (c) additional taxation; (d) reduction of bank and Savings Bank interest rates; and (e) relief in respect of private mortgages. New reciprocal trade treaty with Canada. Bounty on wheat. Death of Sir John Monash.

CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—AUSTRALIA—*continued.*

- 1932—Sydney Harbour Bridge opened. Imperial Economic Conference at Ottawa in July. Australian Broadcasting Commission established.
- 1933—Third Commonwealth Census. Secession Referendum (Western Australia). New Guinea Legislative Council opened. Disarmament Conference in London. Record wheat harvest 1932-33 of 214 million bushels. Antarctica taken over by Commonwealth.
- 1934—Goodwill Mission of the East. Deaths of Sir Robert Gibson and Sir Edgeworth David. Melbourne centenary celebrations. Visit of H.R.H. the Duke of Gloucester. Record flight from England to Australia by Messrs. Scott and Black (Centenary Air Race) in 71 hours. Inauguration of England—Australia Air Mail Service.
- 1935—Silver Jubilee of His Majesty the King. Visit to London for Jubilee Celebrations of the Rt. Hon. J. A. Lyons, Prime Minister. Empire Statistical Conference at Ottawa. Japanese Goodwill Mission to Australia. Meeting of the British Medical Association for the first time in Australia. Appointment of Royal Commission to inquire into banking system of Australia. Construction of submarine telephonic cable between Mainland and Tasmania.
- 1936—Death of King George V. South Australian Centenary Celebrations. First Australian Accountancy Congress, Melbourne.

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